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Olde Glory Days Set To Return With Grand Events



Adam Howe
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In the most anticipated event of the year in the Golden Valley area, Olde Glory Days 2021 is set to kick-off this week with something on the agenda for everyone! Following the Veteran's Dinner at the

Clinton Elks Lodge #1034 on Wednesday evening, the annual extravaganza opens to the public on Thursday night. The Beer Garden will be open on the Courthouse lawn from 5:00pm until 11:00pm and the night will be capped with the Mega Fireworks Display beginning at approximately 9:30pm. The

annual tradition of fireworks during Olde Glory Days continues to get bigger and better and this year will be no different with the show syndicated with music by KDKD 95.3 as the celebration kicks off on July 1 to start Olde Glory Days 2021 with a bang! The Information OGD PG. 3



THE CLINTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, including Joyce Carr and Director David Lee, is eager to bring Olde Glory Days back to Clinton!

The Square Gets A Mini Makeover



Judy Kramer
Contributing Writer

A COVID-related grant has enabled Clinton Main Street

to work on a concrete park at the corner of Center and Jefferson Streets. Sun shades have been set up, and plans are being made to erect an entry arch sporting the name "J.

C. Smith Park." There is currently a swing, and planters and lights will be installed as more grant money becomes available. "The park site was going to be a playground

at one time, but worked was stopped on it," reported Tina Williams, Executive Director of Clinton Main Street. "When we received a COVID-related grant, we began the process of making a park that will have tables and outdoor seating where people can eat their lunch. It is an ongoing project and we will continue to work on it until it is done." Williams said that there will be a little ceremony at the park late in July, after celebrating Olde Glory Days, which takes place July 1 -4 on the Square. "Our Board has nine members, and there are also four sub-committees," IMPROVE PG. 3

Animal Shelter Seeks Help For Furry Friends



GOOD BOYS LIKE MAX, and many others, are taken care of and made available to new homes every day at the Clinton Animal Shelter, thanks to people like Heidi Crabtree and Pam Stocking.

According to www.google.com approximately 2.7 million dogs and cats are killed every year because shelters are too full and there aren't enough adoptive homes. Approximately 7.6 million companion animals enter animal shelters nationwide every year. Of those, approximately 3.9 million are dogs and 3.4

million are cats. The Clinton Animal Shelter is a no-kill shelter, but it can't save all animals that are waiting for a space inside. "We are partially funded by the City of Clinton, so our top priority for intakes are those animals within the city limits," said Heidi Crabtree, Director of the Clinton Animal SHELTER PG. 3



HELPING REVITALIZE CLINTON, Tina Williams, the Executive Director of the Clinton Main Street community organization, is overseeing copious improvements to the Clinton Square.

Eagle Scout Program Promotes Leadership



Judy Kramer
Contributing Writer

Seven young men were recognized for attaining Eagle Scout status at 2 PM, on June 27, at the Northeast Baptist Church in Clinton. They were Alex Clippard and

Cory Garrison from Troop 430; and Nick Simmons, Nick Talbot, Kaleb Russell, Kyler Ryun and William "Will" Zimmer from Troop 225. They earned the highest achievement of rank attainable in the Boy Scouts of America (BSA). They each

earned at least 21 merit badges, 13 that were eagle required. They demonstrated Scout Spirit which is explained by Wikipedia as having an ideal attitude based upon the Scout Oath, and Law, service, and leadership, including an extensive service

project that each Scout planned, organized, led and managed. The service project is the opportunity for a Scout to demonstrate leadership of others while performing a project for the benefit of any religious institution, any school, or his community.

"Some of these young men actually earned their Eagle Scout status last year, but because of COVID could not get together to be recognized," said Hunt County Sheriff Kent Oberkrom, who handles financing and business for Troop 430. "Only about four

percent of Scouts nationwide earn this rank, but our area Troops produce a little higher percentage, which is attributed to the Mic-O-Say (tribe) honors program of leadership, and a foundation of Native American custom." SCOUTS PG. 3

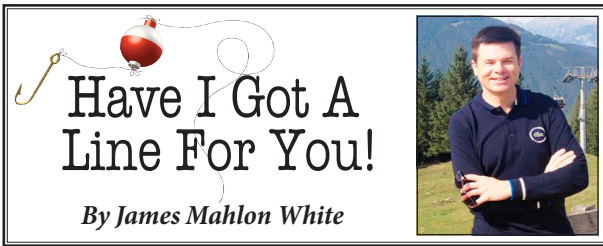
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The collapse of a condominium building in Florida was a terrible thing to happen. I'm not a structural engineer, but why would anyone build on reclaimed swamp land, known for sinkholes? If I lived in the twin building across the street, I wouldn't be waiting for an evacuation order. This mess looked like something from a third world country. The whole thing was unreal. The residents probably had no idea what happened. One minute they're on the couch or the bed and the next the building is collapsing. They probably wondered if the whole world was ending and for many it was. Lives lost through no fault of their own.

INTERNATIONAL NEWS! Archaeologists have discovered a skull that dates back to a human who lived 150,000 years ago. He had square eye sockets and a wide mouth. This may replace Neanderthals as our closest relative. Wonder

Word on the Street

What do you look forward to most for Olde Glory Days?



"I love the carnival food, the onion blooms in particular. But if I'm being honest, it makes me want a hot dog!"
-Keely Thomas



"I look forward to the sense of community we all hold and share during those days."
-Brittan Petree



"I look forward to sharing my most cherished memories of Olde Glory Days with my beautiful daughter."
-Sierra Callahan

what their world was like without plastic, chemicals and radiation? These people may have been "primitive" but their quality of live might have been better. Lord only knows how many ancient people came to this neck of the woods a thousand, or more years ago. In caves in Kentucky and "out west" burial tombs have been found with people who were seven or more feet tall, with interesting artifacts around them. Who were they and where did they come from? We'll never know.

Traveled to Cousin Lynne's for dinner Saturday night. Conversation that was a bit different popped up. One of her dinner guests said we were a lucky group, because we were supping with two people told years ago they wouldn't live much longer. I thought about that statement on the drive back to Warsaw. One had undergone a heart transplant and the other was given a dark prognosis for a cancerous tumor. They're still alive and vigorously kicking. Modern medicine, prayer and positivity can bring about wonders. It doesn't always work the way we want it to though. I'm convinced we're each handed a life span to interact in other lives and then go. It's just the method of departure usually isn't one we'd choose. All part of the grand plan for the universe, isn't it? People in many parts of the world believe in reincarnation. If we don't learn the lessons of life this go around we have to come back and try again. Reincarnation isn't coming back as a dog, ant or cow in the field, that's transmigration. I've never been sure what to make of all that. I do know this. Most of us have done things that we deeply regret and wish we'd handled differently. No use brooding on it though. Just rectify it as best you can and move on. Forgive yourself warts and all and do the same for others.

This will be a busy weekend. Big fireworks displays in Warsaw and Lincoln. Olde Glory Days in Clinton. Lots of visitors coming around the pass. Thanks to the volunteers who keep these reassuring traditions alive in this chaotic world. Here's wishing you a happy and safe 4th of July. Take care of yourself.

Til Next Week:
J.M.W.



Gayla Smith

BIRTHPLACE: Wellington, Kansas
YEARS IN CLINTON: Moved here in 2009
FAMILY: My husband Leland, twin daughters Jordan and Haley, and four grandchildren
OCCUPATION: Auditor for Compass Health
EDUCATION: High School Graduate from Humansville, MO
FAVORITE CHILDHOOD MEMORY: Spending time at my grandparents farm



FIRST JOB: Babysitting
FAVORITE BAND: Right now Eric Church, but it changes
WHAT DO YOU VALUE MOST IN YOUR FRIENDS? Honesty
HOBBIES: Reading
I'VE NEVER BEEN ABLE TO: Travel to Europe, but I've always wanted to
MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT? Not for public knowledge
IF I WON THE LOTTERY I

WOULD: Share with family and friends
WHAT IS THE BEST THING ABOUT LIVING IN CLINTON? Great people by nature
WHAT IS YOUR GREATEST FEAR? Snakes, by a long shot
WHICH PERSON DO YOU ADMIRE THE MOST? My husband for his work ethic and dedication to family
WORDS TO LIVE BY: "God first, Family Second, Country third."

Gov. Parson Addresses MO HealthNet Funding

Governor Mike Parson announced a special session beginning Wednesday, June 23 at 12:00 p.m., to focus on extending the Federal Reimbursement Allowances (FRA) and related allowances, taxes, and assessments necessary for funding MO HealthNet before cost-savings measures are needed on July 1.

"After laying out the grim reality of our state's financial future if FRA is not extended, I believe legislators have now agreed to a compromise that will end this stalemate, so today I am announcing a special session to begin tomorrow at noon," Governor Parson said. "We appreciate the continued efforts of House and Senate leadership to work with us towards a solution, and we are thankful that we are now in a position that warrants a call to special session."

"Let me be clear, now is a time that demands leadership among legislators and not an opportunity to play games with billions of dollars and millions of livelihoods in pursuit of narrow political interests," Governor Parson said.

FRA is a program that spans multiple decades and was born from a public-private

partnership between Missouri hospitals and state government to support the MO HealthNet program. The FRA provides funding to various health care providers across the state, including hospitals, pharmacies, mental health facilities, nursing facilities, emergency medical service providers, and others.

The Fiscal Year 2022 operating budget includes estimated revenue from the FRA program and other allowances, taxes, and assessments to fund primary components of the MO HealthNet program. Failure to extend these programs would cost the state of Missouri an estimated \$591 million in FY22 and \$788 million in FY23. Payments from the MO HealthNet program would also be reduced by \$1.52 billion in FY22 and \$2 billion in FY23 if these programs are not extended.

Allowing the FRA program and other allowances to expire would require the state to take immediate cost-savings measures, including rate decreases, elimination of non-mandatory programs, changes to fee schedules, and budget restrictions and vetoes.

"The FRA program reduces the burden of MO HealthNet expenditures on the state budget and maximizes federal dollars coming to Missouri, and House

and Senate leadership and Missourians know the detrimental consequences if FRA is not extended," Governor Parson said. "It is unacceptable to jeopardize critical investments in priorities like education, workforce development, and infrastructure, and we must get this done quickly to protect Missourians and continue investing in Missouri's future generations."

The special session will focus on extending certain allowances, taxes, and assessments that fund the MO HealthNet program. Specifically, Governor Parson's special session call is to:

Extend the expiration of the ground ambulance service reimbursement allowance, Extend the expiration of the nursing facility reimbursement allowance, Extend the expiration of the Medicaid managed care organization reimbursement allowance, Extend the expiration of the FRA program, Extend the expiration of the pharmacy tax, Extend the expiration of the intermediate care facility for the intellectually disabled assessment, Prohibit abortifacient drugs and devices, Prohibits funding for abortion facilities under the Uninsured Women's Health Program, Allow the Senate to consider appointments that require the advice and consent of the Senate.



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Booth and Souvenir Shop will be open on the south side of the Courthouse from 9:00am until 8:00pm on Friday. The Henry County Museum will be open from 10:00am until 4:00pm and the Golden Valley Quilt Guild will have their Quilt Display at the Rotary Building from 10:00am until 5:00pm. The fun really gets going with Kayak Races at the Artesian Pool at 10:00am, and at 11:00am, it's the "FireQuacker 500" at Optimist Park! The launch of the Duck Race will take off at high noon. At 11:00am, the Beer Garden will open once again and serve until Midnight. At 11:30am, 2:30pm and 4:30pm, join The Fishin' Magicians for a family friendly and fun show! From Noon until 5:00pm, visit the Toddler Tent on the northeast side of the Courthouse. The Carnival will kick-off on Friday with two sessions; Noon until 4:00pm and again from 6:00pm until 10:00pm. Carnival armbands are \$25 during the event but can also be purchased before July 2 at the Clinton Chamber of Commerce office for just \$20. The crowd can enjoy the TLC Dulcimers at 1:00pm at the Delozier Building and at 2:00pm on Friday, don't miss the Reader's Theater when they present "Recollections of Hometown Veterans" compiled and directed by Joice Appell, at the air conditioned Crest Pavilion! The James Wedgwood Pratt Ventriloquist & Comedy show will offer three viewings at 3:00pm, 4:00pm and 5:00pm and/or enjoy the Kansas City Aerial Show on the Courthouse parking lot at 3:00pm and 5:00pm. Wander down to the Pedal Pull at the Courthouse parking lot at 4:00pm, or if that's not your thing, at 5:00pm on Friday, everyone ends their work week with the Office Olympics on the Courthouse lawn. From 5:30pm until 7:30pm, it's the Historical DX Gas Station at 3rd & Green Street and at 6:30pm, the Golf Ball Drop will take place at the Clinton Chamber of Commerce lawn on the southeast end of the historical downtown Clinton square! At 8:00pm, Home Decorating Contest winners will be announced and at 8:05pm, there will be Prize Drawings on the main stage.

At 6:00pm on Friday night, Olde Glory Days welcomes their first musical entertainment, Funk Syndicate to the big stage! With 8 members, the amount of experience and talent in the group is among the best you will find anywhere.

Two stunning lead vocalists, an incredible horn section and a perfectly matched rhythm section make this band run like a well-oiled machine and it shows in every performance as they bring you the funky and soulful sounds of Bruno Mars, Adele, Michael Jackson, Stevie Wonder, Earth Wind & Fire, Aretha Franklin, Pharell Williams, CeeLo Green, the Black Eyes Peas and many more!

Beginning at 9:00pm, the Cate Brothers will take the main stage where they are sure to entertain the crowd with their version of country soul! Brothers, Earl and Ernie were recording artists during the mid to late 1970's and again from the mid to late 1990's and through the first decade of the 2000's and now they come to Clinton to entertain the Henry County crowd!

On Saturday, July 3, fans can start their day off right with a Pancake Breakfast at the Clinton Fire Department from 7:00am until 9:30am and at 7:30am, it's the Olde Glory Days Patriotic 5K Run/Walk. From 9:00am until 2:00pm, fairgoers can catch the Cruise Night Car Show on South Washington Street and at 10:00am, it's the David Mills Grand Parade!

The Quilt Display (10:00am-5:00pm), the Beer Garden (11:00am-Midnight) and the Henry County Museum (11:30am-4:00pm) will all open their doors again on Saturday and the Carnival will run the same sessions as the night before at the same price. At Noon, local talents will show-off their skills at the Clinton Elks Lodge #1034 Cornhole Tournament next to the Beer Garden and the Toddler Tent will open once again from Noon until 5:00pm. The James Wedgwood Pratt Ventriloquist & Comedy show (1:30pm, 3:00pm & 5:00pm), the Kansas City Aerial Show (1:30pm, 3:00pm & 5:00pm) and The Fishin' Magicians (12:30pm, 2:00pm & 3:30pm) will offer additional Saturday shows at their same locations and the Historical DX Gas Station will be open again from 12:30pm until 5:00pm. At 1:00pm, the Pet Show will take place and, also at 1:00pm, the TLC Dulcimers will offer another showing. The Readers Theater will offer their "Recollections of Hometown Veterans" again at 2:00pm on Saturday.

At 6:00pm, it's back to the main stage for Dawson Hollow; an indie-folk band whose music encompasses the nostalgia of folk while channeling the urgent and

intoxicating energy of indie-rock! Their unique and invigorating music brings alive a contagious passion that is too powerful to be ignored and leaves listeners energized, refreshed and feeling like they've finally met someone who "gets" them!

The Clinton Rotary Club will announce the winner of their 50/50 prize at 8:00pm and more Prize Drawings go down on the main state at 8:05pm on Saturday.

At 9:00pm, the Eskimo Brothers take the main stage! This high-energy honky tonk trio out of Nashville bring a reckless and manic show that has been battle tested and polished with over 300 shows per year in the honky tonk's of Nashville's historic Lower Broadway and monthly shows in Memphis on Beale Street, in addition to extensive tours throughout the country!

The Carnival will offer their last session on Sunday from Noon until 4:00pm and after the last ride's close, crowds can head over to the Benson Center for the Ice Cream Social beginning at 5:00pm. From 5:30pm until 8:30pm, it's Gospelfest featuring The Mark Trammell Quartet, Mark Bishop, The Browders and Tony Bullock.

Bring your lawn chair and enjoy the beauty of Clinton's downtown district all weekend long while sipping on a cool drink and munching on a corn dog, kettle corn, funnel cake, barbeque, fried Snickers, jerkey, chicken fingers or many other items offered by the many food vendors who are bound to present you a treat that you have never had before!

Any fair or carnival brings out the best "kid" in everyone as old memories are relived and new ones are made. For your next memory, join the crowd this weekend!

From history to displays to music to food and fun, you are covered by Olde Glory Days 2021!

IMPROVE cont.

said Williams. "The sub-committees are Promotions, Organization, Designer and Economic Development, with five to 10 members each. There are also general supporters that we can call on."

Williams said that the responsibilities of Clinton Main Street include taking care of the historical presence, awnings, repainting, signs, economic development, and just keeping the businesses that are already there. They also try to get people downtown to see the shops. The Board plans events such as the regular monthly Cruise Nights

that been going on at the Square for about 20 years, and the yearly Wine Stroll that has been taking place since about 2013. There are also regular Sidewalk Sales, and Merry Main Street, A Downtown Shopping Event.

"We have some exciting things coming up towards the end of the year," said Williams. "There will be a Bicentennial Bash in August, celebrating our state's 200th birthday; and the Wine Stroll is scheduled on October 23. In the past we have averaged about 400 to 500 people at the Wine Strolls, but everyone seems to want to get out more this year and attendance should be greater."

According to www.clintonmo.com, Clinton's Historic Downtown Square is Missouri's largest and most charming. The setting is described as "Victorian" and includes a historical museum and the Henry County Courthouse, which dates to 1893.

SCOUTS cont.

www.hoac-bsa.org/mic-o-say reports that Mic-O-Say serves as a leadership enhancement program of the Heart of America Council designed to help the Heart of America Council fulfill its mission of preparing the young people of Eastern Kansas and Western Missouri to make ethical choices over their lifetimes by instilling in them the values of the Scout Oath and Scout law.

Sheriff Oberkrom earned his Eagle Scout rank in 1972. He and his wife raised daughters, but he now has grandsons in BSA. He recently returned from Boy Scout Summer Camp where 45 Scouts took part in activities and earned merit badges for 10 days. The Sheriff said that during the school year, most Scouts can earn as many as three merit badges, but during summer camp, they can often earn up to six merit badges in a short period of time.

"Attaining Eagle Scout has many advantages," said Sheriff Oberkrom "It looks good on a resume, or college application, or, in the case of the military, it affords those with Eagle Scout ranking to start their service at a one-step higher level pay grade after their basic training."

On October 11, 2017, the BSA announced that in 2019, a program for older girls would begin to be available, enabling girls to earn the rank of Eagle Scout.

**SHELTER cont.**

mal Shelter. "We don't get any county funds, so small city shelters have to try and help their own animals. We do try and help people from outside city limits who call us by connecting them to other agencies. An unmanned shelter is located in Windsor where animals are taken, and a rescue organization called to come and get them. The nearest no-kill shelter that is manned, outside of Clinton, is in Warrensburg."

Crabtree started out at the shelter as a volunteer and has now been Director for 10 years. She said that she can only house about 18 dogs, and 50 cats comfortably, at a time, and when one goes out for adoption or fostering, there are several on the waiting list ready to take that spot. She said that this is the season for kittens, and there are plenty, especially this year. She said that kittens do not do best in shelters and that people who can foster one or more of them are greatly needed.

"The City of Clinton had a kill facility years ago and a City Animal Control Officer," said Crabtree. "But in 2007 a group of people organized the Clinton Animal Rescue Endeavor (CARE) and began running a no-kill shelter. Terri Williams is President of the CARE Board and one of her duties is to get funding for the shelter."

Williams said that there are many animals needing a rescue this year. They include non-wanted Christmas pets, and others that some people had to give up due to COVID issues.

"A big problem is that people do not take responsibility for their pets," said Williams. "One of the biggest reasons for bringing a pet to the shelter is because of a divorce or the fact that a person or family is moving. When they get a pet, it would be better to make long-range plans for the animal."

Williams said that the shelter needs more volunteers, as well as those who can foster animals. She said that there are currently two full-time employees (including the Director), two part-time men, and a senior citizen who is sponsored by the AARP and comes in to feed the dogs. She said that volunteers get one-on-one training and they have a choice on the type of work they can do. The cat rooms and dog kennels need thorough cleaning every day, and there is laundry to fold and dishes to wash. The Shelter has volunteer clinics from time to time, and has also held a micro-chip clinic.

"It is a hard lesson

that we can't save every animal," said Williams. "We have to turn people down because we are full. We network because you can't just be a shelter. You have to work with organizations like Always and Forever that saves older dogs from being euthanized. This organization has taken in about six elderly dogs from us in the last couple of years, and they are allowed to free-roam until homes or foster situations can be found for them."

The City of Clinton provides 30 percent of the shelter's funding. The remainder of the budget is funded from donations and fundraisers.

Donations, volunteers and those who want to foster animals are needed! For more information, call the shelter at 660-885-7999. It is best to call during public operating hours that are 2 to 6 PM on Monday through Friday, and Noon to 4 PM on Saturday. Appointments are encouraged.

COVID-19 Vaccines For Adolescents

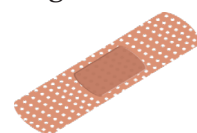
Golden Valley Memorial Healthcare will be hosting a vaccine clinic for 12-17 year olds on Wednesday, July 14 from 5:30-6:30 p.m. at its Outpatient Treatment Center.

To schedule an appointment for your child, please call 660.890.7300. Our call center is open Monday-Friday from 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

The Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine that has been authorized by the FDA for use is a multi-dose vaccine administered through a shot. The second dose is given 21 days later. Participants must get both shots as scheduled for the vaccine to be effective. GVMH will provide an appointment date and time for the second dose at the vaccine clinic. Children must be accompanied by an adult. The vaccine is free.

"The approval for the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine to include adolescents starting at age 12 is a significant step in the fight against the COVID-19 pandemic," said Christine Faulconer, Director of Risk and Quality at Golden Valley Memorial Healthcare. "This allows for the younger population to be protected from COVID-19 too."

For more information about GVMH, visit gvmh.org and follow on social media @choosegvmh.



Yard Displays Ready For Holiday Weekend



A SKELETON STATUE OF LIBERTY, amongst other patriotic decorations, can be seen on East Ohio Street here in Clinton.

TLC Foundation Makes Major Donations



On the evening of Thursday, June 24, Ryan Cook presented Cheryl Gutshall, West Central Community Action Agency's Senior Care Director, a check for \$1,500 on behalf of the Truman Lake Community Foundation nonprofit pandemic recovery grant.

The purpose of the grant for West Central is to fund the Senior Care Pen Pal Program. This program connects seniors together and is a way to encourage safe socialization during the midst of a pandemic. COVID-19 enhanced the isolation and loneliness that many seniors experience. Senior Care Pen Pals are matched with other seniors that have similar likes and hobbies. Writing kits are provided and include all the necessary items to become successful writing companions. Kits include stationery, note cards, all occasion greeting cards, ink pens, motivational quotes to share and postage stamps.

Gutshall said, "Senior Care Pen Pals hopes to uplift and subsidize, some of the loneliness and isolation that seniors are feeling with social restrictions of the pandemic. Letter writing is a safe and familiar social activity for seniors that can help form new relationships, bring back memories to share, and provide something to look forward to finding in their mailbox.", when asked about the program and what the grant means for seniors in our area.

The reception was held in the elevator corridor next to the Clinton Elks lodge. Other nonprofits who were awarded the grant also had representatives there, receiving their checks as well.

If you are 65 and older and are interested in learning how to become a Senior Care Pen Pal, please contact Senior Care staff at 660-476-2185.

Eagle Scouts Celebrated At Court Of Honor



PROUDLY GRADUATED Eagle Scouts were honored this past Sunday, including (Front L-R) Kaleb Russell, Will Zimmer, Nick Simmons, Kyler Ryun, (Back L-R) Cory Garrison, Alex Clippard and Nick Talbot.

Henry County Water Closed For Holiday

The Henry County Water Company and PWS# 3 offices will be closed on Monday, July 5th for Independence Day. For after-hour emergencies call Central Dispatch at 660-885-5587



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Osage Valley Electric Gives Tour To Students



REBEKAH YARICK AND CHELSEA WILSON participated in the three-day Youth Tour Conference and each received a \$2,000 scholarship from Osage Valley Electric for their winning essays.

Seventy high school students participated in Missouri's 58th annual Missouri Electric Youth Tour, June 16-18. Local delegates were Rebekah Yarick, Hume High School, and Chelsea Wilson, Clinton High School. They were sponsored by the Osage Valley Electric Cooperative.

While the traditional seven-day tour to Washington D.C. was unable to happen because of lingering COVID-19 concerns, that didn't stop Missouri's electric cooperatives from providing local students with a great opportunity. The 2021 delegates took part in a three-day conference, which offered them opportunities to learn firsthand what it is like to be involved in politics, serve in leadership positions, ways to serve their community and more.

"The Youth Tour is the highlight of the summer for many students no matter the format and we're proud to have the best and brightest become a part of our Youth Tour family," said Chris Massman, Vice President of Member Services for the Association of Missouri Electric Cooperatives.

Highlights included the youth participating virtually with representatives from their congressional districts and taking online tours of famous monuments. The group also heard from past Youth Tour delegates, one of which is now a member of the United States Secret Service. These alumni spoke to them about their Youth Tour experiences and how the opportunity helped shape their future college and career choices.

Other events included participation in electrical related activities, which included the students making their own extension cords. This presentation was led by Keith Mueller, who is a former Youth Tour delegate and now an employee of a Missouri electric cooperative. The students also heard from representatives from State Technical College, Western Governors University (WGU) and the University of Missouri.

The conference wrapped up with a motivational speaker. Students heard from Dan Meers, who entertains people and speaks to them about the power of positivity. Dan is the man in the KC Wolf mascot costume at all Kansas City Chiefs games and when he's not entertaining 40,000 on gameday, he is traveling the country speaking to groups and telling his story.

Since 1964, the nation's cooperative electric utilities have sponsored more than 50,000 high school juniors and seniors to partake in the Youth Tour. For more information about the AMEC Youth Tour program, please go to www.amec.org/content/youth-programs.

Henry County Memory Fund Annual Wine Event

The Henry County Memory Fund will be hosting their Annual Wine Event at Big Oaks Winery on September 24, 2021, from 5:00 to 7:00 PM. It will include a small silent auction and all proceeds from the event will go to the Henry County Memory Fund.

The Henry County Memory Fund is an organization that raises funds that will remain in Henry County, MO to provide support directly to the patients, caregivers and family of Alzheimer's/Dementia patients and families, such as transportation and housing assistance, nutritional and other needs not covered by insurance.

Tickets for the Annual Wine Event are \$15 which includes one glass of wine or a wine tasting. If you would like to purchase a ticket or have any questions about the event, please contact Amanda Long at 816-718-7761 or any committee member. Please note tickets are limited and must be purchased prior to the event.

If you will not be able to attend the event but would like to donate, please mail a check to PO Box 741, Clinton, MO 64735 or made online at <http://cfozarks.org/donate>

If you would like to receive an application, please contact Ranae Walrath at GVMH - Social Services, 660-890-7294 or Christa Atchison, 660-525-1338. Mark your calendar for our 2022 Big Purple Party - walk and ceremony May 7.

Death Notices

Robert L. Hill, age 89, of Clinton, Missouri passed away Tuesday, June 22, 2021 at Select Specialty Hospital in Kansas City, Kansas. Funeral Service will be at 2:00 PM on Saturday, June 26, 2021 at Vansant-Mills Funeral Home, Clinton with visitation from 1:00 -2:00 PM before service. Burial will follow in Englewood Cemetery, Clinton. The family suggests memorial contributions be made to The Henry County Memory Fund and can be left in care of the funeral home. Fond memories and condolences can be left online at www.vansant-millsfuneral-home.com.

John Young, age 70, of Clinton, Missouri passed away on Wednesday, June 23, 2021 at St. Luke's Hospital in Kansas City, Missouri. Funeral service will be at 11:00 AM on Monday June 28, 2021 at the First Baptist Church of Clinton. Visitation will be from 10:00-11:00 AM prior to service. Burial will follow in Englewood Cemetery, Clinton. The family suggests memorial contributions be made to First Baptist Church or the Clinton Christian Academy and can be left in care of the funeral home. Fond memories and condolences can be left online at www.vansant-millsfuneralhome.com.

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He enjoyed woodworking, loved deer hunting and deer camp with his buddies and family. He was a true family man and loved spending time with his children and grandchildren. John accepted the Lord Jesus Christ as his personal Savior and joined the First Baptist Church, loving his church and especially his Sunday school class.

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Jason Burchette, age 50, passed away on Friday, June 25, 2021 at his home in Deepwater, Missouri. There are no services scheduled at this time. Fond memories and condolences can be left online at www.vansant-millsfuneralhome.com. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, Missouri.

Sheila (Woolery) Gross, 65, of Windsor, Missouri, died late Tuesday evening, June 22, 2021, at the Country Club Care Center, Warrensburg, Mo.

Memorial services were held 6:00 p.m., Tuesday, June 29, 2021, at the Grace Community Church, Windsor, with Pastor Bill Douglas officiating. Burial will be in the Laurel Oak Cemetery, Windsor, at a later date. The family suggests contributions to the Grace Community Church in care of the Hadley Funeral Home, Windsor. Condolences may be left online at www.hadleyfuneralhome.com.

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of Clinton, Missouri, 12 grandchildren, 6 great grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews.

He is preceded in death by his son John Anderson Young Jr., parents Walter Young and Marcella Dunning Young and his brother Ronald Joe Young.

Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, Missouri.

To send a flower arrangement or to plant trees in memory of John Anderson Young, please click here to visit our Sympathy Store.

Wesley Weimer



Wesley C. Weimer, 73, of Salisbury, Missouri, died peacefully Wednesday, June 23, 2021, at his home on the farm. Wes was born July 17, 1947, in Salisbury the son of Tony H. and Afra C. (Fessler) Weimer. He married Glenda A. Henry on June 21, 1975, at St. Mary of the Angels Catholic Church in Wein, Missouri, and she preceded him in death on October 10, 2008.

Wes was a graduate of St. Joseph High School, class of 1965. He served in the U.S. Army during the Vietnam War as a Huey helicopter mechanic. Wes worked for Associated Electric Company for 28 1/2 years, as a journeyman, machinist and mechanic, retiring in 2009. He was also a lifelong farmer. Wes was a member of the St. Mary of the Angels Catholic Church where he was an active leader for the youth organization, as well as a member of the Knights of Columbus.

Wes was very patriotic and loved the USA. He was a member of the Cleve Iman Memorial VFW Post #4926 and the American Legion Post #391. He was very philanthropic and supported many organizations. Wes loved attending the Missouri State Fair and entered many BBQ contests – and won several awards over the years. He was a member of the Bynumville Volunteer Fire Dept for years and answered many calls to help his friends and neighbors. Wes was an avid NASCAR fan. He enjoyed activities with his wife, Glenda, including tractor pulls, farming, fishing, hunting, going to Las Vegas and the casinos, watching the Kentucky Derby, and donning the "big red suit" at Christmas-time. He always enjoyed the company of his nieces, nephews, Godchildren, his many close friends and people of interest, and he always had a story to share.

Wes is survived by his sister Jeanette (Donald) Rotert of Mon-

trose, sisters-in-law Glenda K. Weimer of Salisbury, and Wilma Weimer of Keytesville, many nieces, nephews, and Godchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife, Glenda; parents, Tony and Afra; brothers Leroy Weimer and Marion Weimer; nephew Steven Rotert and niece Monica Weimer.

Visitation will be from 1 to 4 p.m., with the vigil service beginning at 4 o'clock, on Sunday, June 27, 2021, at the St. Mary of the Angels Catholic Church in Wien, Missouri. Mass of Christian Burial will be at 10 a.m., Monday, June 28, 2021, with burial at the St. Mary's Cemetery and military funeral honors provided by the Missouri Veteran's Honor Team and the Salisbury American Legion Post #391. Memorials may be made to the St. Mary's Cemetery, Immaculate Conception Cemetery and Higginsville Habilitation Center in Higginsville, Missouri. Services entrusted to Summerville Funeral Home in Salisbury, Missouri.

Steven McMillian



Steven Adam McMillian was born February 26, 1980 in Ft. Ord, California, one of four children born to Samuel and Linda (Wyatt) McMillian. He entered into rest on June 16, 2021 in Boulder, Colorado at the age of 41. Steven graduated high school from Calhoun, Missouri and worked as an environmentalist.

He dedicated his life to putting his medical training into practice for those he lived with and loved. He never knew a stranger and the world was his neighborhood.

He loved to read, was a beloved teacher and was constantly learning. He loved live music, sports events, singing and dancing. His concern for the environment drove him to practice recycling in his personal life and even in his occupation. He loved the Chiefs and was beyond thrilled when they won the Super Bowl two years ago.

His generosity knew no bounds. He would give of every part of himself, if he could. Because of his generous nature, the family has decided to donate his body to medical science so that he can continue to teach, even beyond his mortal life.

He is survived by his father, Samuel; brother, James; sister-in-law, Marissa; his sisters, Amanda and Melanie; his many friends and loved ones in Boulder, Colorado; and his faithful companion and furry friend, Buddy, who never left his side.

He is preceded in death by his paternal and maternal grand-

parents, his infant sister, Sarah, his unborn child, and his mother, Linda. He always looked for the best in life and started a heart album for his mother that is being continued in his honor.

Memorial services will be held 10:00 am, Saturday, July 10, 2021 at Clark Funeral Home Chapel of Memories, Neosho, MO, with visitation following until 11:30 am. Contributions to honor Steven may be made to Faithful Friends Animal Advocates, c/o Clark Funeral Home, PO Box 66; Neosho, MO 64850.

Gene Simpson

Eugene Simpson, 81, passed away June 26, 2021, at The Maples Health & Rehabilitation, Springfield, MO.

C. Eugene "Gene" Simpson, the firstborn child of Cecil and Irene (Gragg) Simpson, was born March 13, 1940, in Urich, MO. He graduated from Clinton High School and attended the University of Missouri. He married, moved to Kansas City for a short period, and then returned to Urich to farm with his dad. He and his wife, Kathryn Keith, were parents of three children, Mark Keith, Cheryl Lynn and Shelly Jean. He farmed and sold insurance for Bates County. Later he was an agent for the Mike Keith Insurance Agency in Clinton.

In 1988, he married Dixie (Chipman) Powell and they lived in Clinton. Two years later they moved to Springfield, MO. Gene was an agent for Allied Insurance until retirement.

Gene enjoyed square dancing, round dancing and western dancing. He enjoyed the trips he and Dixie took. They had many nice extended vacations here in the states and they also went to Germany and Ireland. He liked going to the resort in Golden, MO,

where they had a trailer. He was devoted to their three Japanese Chin dogs.

In addition to his wife Dixie and the above-named children, he leaves a sister, Dorothy Dunn of Urich and a brother, Delbert Simpson of Clinton. He leaves three grandchildren, Michael, Kayla, and Alexandria, as well as two great-grandchildren.

Gene was laid to rest in the Laurel Oak Cemetery, Windsor, Mo. Arrangements are under the direction of the Hadley Funeral Home, Windsor. The family suggests contributions to Seasons Hospice, 1831 West Melville Rd, Springfield, MO, 65803. Condolences may be left online at www.hadleyfuneralhome.com.



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Calhoun Baptist Church

PASTOR MARK ABNEY

Romans 4: 1-8 was the scripture text for Pastor Mark Abney's sermon titled Justification Through Faith. Because Abraham had faith, he was a righteous man. Everything he did was because he walked by faith in God. When we ask Jesus to be our Savior, we too are seen as righteous by God. We begin a process of sanctification as we grow in our faith.

We extend happy birthday wishes to Lori Rima June 21, Drew Willings June 22 and Jeff Hollinger June 27. May the Lord bless them this year.

Prayer concerns this week include Phyllis Richardson, Dalton Creach, Abe Kohl, Kay Pogue and Michael Parker. Thank you Lord for hearing and answering our prayers.

On Saturday, June 26th we enjoyed a fish fry fellowship. The music group "New Assembly" was present and blessed us with an outdoor concert. Good food, good fellowship, good music and the perfect weather made for a well attended event.

Celebrate Recovery continues on Sunday evenings with dinner served at 5:30 pm followed by worship at 6:30 pm. Small group support begins at 7:30. The lesson for this week was READY. R - release control, E - easy does it, A - accept the change, D - discover your character defect, Y - yield to the growth. What area of your life have you been able to turn over and surrender to Jesus Christ? What area are you still holding onto? Come to CR. Fellowship, make new friends and help strengthen your resolve to live a victorious life.

Bible School - Plain and Simple is our VBS theme this year. Make plans now to attend. There will be classes for preschoolers through adults. What a great experience this will be for the entire family. Mark it down on your busy summer calendar for Monday through Friday August 2 - 6. Come enjoy food, bible stories, crafts and fellowship. Let's learn and grow in the Lord together.

Drive in, inside, and live streaming of our worship service is available. To hear the worship service within the city limits tune your radio dial to 93.1 FM. Live streaming of our service begins at 11:00 am. Check it out by going to our Facebook page and you can worship with us in real time. Pastor Mark's sermon is also available as a podcast on our website.

Come join us for Sunday School beginning at 10:00 am and Worship at 11:00 am. We look forward to greeting you. For more information about our church or to listen to the full sermon visit our website at www.calhounbaptist.org.

Clinton Church of the Nazarene

6-20-21 Rev. Tom Wallen Pastor, pastor opened the service with prayers.

Our poem today was called: The Last Day. We never know when our last day will be, so be ready: come to Christ while there is still time.

Richard gave the prayer for the offering. Communion was served.

Pastor's message was called: The Believers Duty, Roman 12:18 was his main scripture, and he used many others to further illustrate the message! John 17, 1 Corinthians 3:33 and 6:7-11, Soul surrender is one of the hardest things you'll ever do. We need to really yield to God's spirit. Become one with God. Break away from your sinful ways, live for Christ! Today is the day of salvation.

V.B.S. June 21-25, 5:30 pm. We need volunteers to help with food, crafts, Bible memorization...

Sock it to em... Clinton Bright Futures is asking area churches to help their Back to School Fair 2021, by collecting socks and underwear; in new unopened packages, in all sizes from children to adult. The last Sunday to collect will be July 27, 2021.

Men's Ministry Outing July 10th. Our Men's Ministry Director (Jim Harris) is asking all our men to go ahead and make plans to join us, for a trip to Bass Pro on July 10th. It will be a time of encouragement, just hanging out, and fun; we will find a good place to eat, there will be a devotional and prayer.

We thank each person for coming to warship here today. We pray that you receive a rich blessing by being here today and that you will come again. See you in church.

First Presbyterian Church

Praise the Lord! There are a multitude of reasons to express our praise to our heavenly father. As his people we should lift up our voices and joyfully raise our praise to Him. Using Numbers 22: 22-35 as her scripture text, Rev. Nancy Gillard delivered the message titled Stop, Look and Listen.

Cake mixes of every flavor are taking over the shelves in our foyer. These mixes have been donated for the Samaritan Center Pantry Shelves. Our donations will continue through Sunday, July 4. The delivery to the Center will take place the next day. It's not too late to have a part in this local mission effort. Thank you for your generosity to everyone who has participated.

Nearly a tub and one half is filled with personal hygiene items for the "Little Girls in Africa" project but there is more left to be completed. Our gracious sewers are donating their time and talent to making this project a reality. This mission effort makes a huge difference in the lives of the young ladies receiving the items. If you want to be involved just pick up your supplies in the foyer and ask a Naomi Ruth Circle lady for instructions if needed.

Jesus Camp is almost here! July 26-30 are the dates to place on your calendar. This will be a joint camp held with the Clinton Christian Church at the First Presbyterian facility. Covid-19 guidelines set in place by Heartland Camps will be followed. If you have children or grandchildren wishing to attend camp, be sure to register them at www.heartland-camps.org. Spots fill up quickly so don't delay.

The First Presbyterian Church as become a designated Cooling Center. When the heat advisory is in effect for Henry County, our doors will be open from 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm Monday through Friday. Spread the word for those in need.

You are invited to join us in worship each week. We are worshipping inside (no mask requirements) and outside with our drive-in service. If unable to attend in person, please find us online at: Youtube Nancy Gillard, fpccintonmo.com or Facebook First

Presbyterian Clinton MO. Sunday sermons, worshipful music, church updates and prayer times are available there.

Golden Valley Christian Church

God created all kinds of marvelous creatures. The great blue heron is one of these creatures. The heron is a large, long-legged, wading water bird found along freshwater and coasts. This bird is known for its beauty and grace, and has become a cultural symbol. According to North American Native traditions, the heron brings messages of self-determination and self-reliance. It is also a symbol of tranquility and stillness. Northeast coast fishermen believe that seeing a heron brings good luck. Even in some nations embracing Christianity, the heron is associated with Christ's death, with some believing the bird can shed tears. Many other nations, including Japan, China, and Egypt, have symbols and traditions involving the heron. There are symbols in the Bible, too. One, for Christians, is what is known as the Lord's Supper, or Communion, taken in remembrance of Jesus (1 Cor 11:23-26).

It was really a nice thing to see so the young people attending Vacation Bible School this week. The planning and preparation for this annual event is a lot of work. Many thanks go to Melynn Jones and her helpers for doing such a great job. The Crafters did not meet this week, but will resume next Thursday at 2:00 PM, as well as Wednesday-night Bible study at 7:00 PM.

Bro Elmer continued his Ephesians messages, with chapter 4:1-6. In this chapter, the Apostle Paul concentrates on the fact that God has given all Christians a "calling" (Rom 1:6-7). The Church is to be one body. Unity in the church is extremely important (Gal 5:13-15). As Christians, there are some things we need to focus on: Being humble and gentle, being patient, bearing with one another in love, and keeping unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. These are things Jesus expects us to do.

Golden Valley Christian Church meets at 611 South Third Street in Clinton. Sunday Bible classes begin at 9:30 AM, and the morning worship service is at 10:30. Our interim minister is Elmer Fuller, and our website is www.goldenvalleyc.org, where you will also find links to access our Facebook page and YouTube sermons. We are happy to invite you to attend our services, where you will always receive a warm welcome.

Mount Calvary Apostolic Pentecostal Church

Elder E. Jones-Collins

6/27/21

"One Team, One Fight"

1Thessalonians 5:12 And we beseech you, brethren, to know them which labor among you, and are over you in the Lord, and admonish you;

1Thessalonians 5:13 And to esteem them very highly in love for their work's sake. And be at peace among yourselves.

1Thessalonians 5:14 Now we exhort you, brethren, warn them that are unruly, comfort the feeble-minded, support the weak, be patient toward all men.(KJV)

A team is a body of people who have a common goal. Team members should look out for one another, never feel intimidated or jealous of each other's skill set.

A team is only as strong as their weakest link, but nobody should get left behind. As a group you should all have a common goal of defeating the enemy.

A leader can make or break the team so it is important to choose the right one. Don't count people out because they may not "appear" to be a leader, despite what they may have been through, they could emerge to be the chosen one.

A leader motivates and should be willing to do what

needs to be done. Always encourage. I think of grace as keeping us on the path and mercy as putting us back when we stray. That's what leaders do for us on our team.

We have this in Jesus. He is the perfect leader who gives of himself continuously. Who covers us and encourages us when we are in the midst. When you choose team Jesus you will be on the winning team. God Bless.

Mt. Zion United Methodist Church

Pastor David's message, "Reaching for Jesus", had references from Wisdom of Solomon, 1:12-15, and 2:23-24, and from Mark 5:21-43. The Scripture from Mark illustrates the power of reaching for Jesus. The woman in this passage had suffered a long time with an issue of bleeding and had received no help from her ailment. But she trusted so strongly in Jesus' healing power that she fought her way through the crowd and reached out as far as she could just to touch the hem of His garment. We call this faith. When this woman made the bond with Jesus her world was transformed. Jesus immediately turned around, sensing power had gone out of Him and caused a revolution in someone's life. Then He tells her, "Daughter, your faith has made you well; go in peace."

This is the kind of miracle that all of us need sometimes. When the world has us by the throat, sometimes we need a miracle to overcome it. When the world is beating us down with fear, anxiety, depression, economic insecurity, etc., we need to reach for Jesus.

When God extends us Grace—that free gift of love, guidance, and salvation—if we reach out as far as we can and seize it, the power of Jesus is going to change our life. When we reach out for Jesus, Jesus is going to reach back. Jesus can transform any problem. Jesus can make right any terrible situation. Jesus can help you to overcome any tribulation. Jesus is there for you. Jesus died that you might be liberated from the woes and fears of the world. Jesus conquered the gates of hell and paid the price for your sins that the terror of death might be taken away.

God wants to help you get through the storms of this life and have a deeper relationship with you. All we need to do is reach for God, reach for Jesus, and Jesus will reward that faith by transforming your life.

Trinity Lutheran Church

Last Sunday, Trinity Lutheran recognized the 17 new members whom the Lord has brought into our church family over this past year through the Rite of Baptism, Confirmation, Profession of Faith, or Transfer. Welcome new members! A special fellowship meal also was held at the church immediately following the service in their honor.

The church kitchen remodeling project has been completed! Thank you to all of the women of the church who helped organize our new kitchen downstairs. Thank you also to Laura Henny for spearheading the project! We also thank everyone who helps keep our church grounds freshly mowed, and who helped install a new ship-lap ceiling in Pastor Kueker's office - check it out! Our building is really getting a fresh makeover. Our thanks to everyone involved!

Trinity Lutheran Church is actively involved with reaching out to our community. We opened a maternity home for women - The Well of Hope. We run a BBQ food truck that raises money for local causes in our community - The TLC Smokehouse. We have quilters, LWML, volunteers who help at an early childhood class, nursing home ministries, the TLC Dulcimer Band, and more. We are here for our community with the love of Christ!

"The word of the Lord endures forever." (1 Peter 1:25).

Divine Service 10 am; SS: 9 am; Ch.ph.660-885-4728; Pastor Kueker: 573-768-5752

THIS WEEK'S PUZZLE

HERE, THERE AND EVERYWHERE By Timothy E. Parker

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City Council Budget Session

The Clinton City Council met in an open work session, June 21, at noon. The session was devoted to discussing budget planning for the city (as is customary yearly). The fiscal year for the city ends September 30.

Present at the work session were all council persons except Councilman Roger House: City Administrator Christy Maggi led the discussions.

The big take aways from the city budget session (of which there will be two more) are that the cost of living adjustments are steep this year (around 5%, compared to previous years of around 2%) and that it is becoming more apparent that the city will need to explore raising the general revenue tax; although no formal movement in this direction has been made, talk about the need for the increase has been sporadic for at least two years and Clinton has not had a general revenue tax increase for at least 30 years. Department budgets and requests, as well as increasing costs of running each department are becoming harder to manage. This year, the projected ending balance of the general revenue fund will stay at about \$2 million, which does not go far concerning emergency spending involving city functions/departments. One good piece of news is that the worker's comp rates have lowered considerably this year as well.

This work session, the fire department's requests and ATS were on the list of discussions.

Administrator Maggi said that Clinton did have the good fortune of having their sales tax revenues go up during the pandemic: not a lot of communities can say that. Councilman Cameron Jackson said he supported keeping the STEP raises and current cost of living adjustments in place: "I would like to keep the employees we have," said Jackson. The city has traditionally kept up with inflation rates.

One of the discussions held was that of the raising of fee schedules. For instance, burn permits from the fire department may have a fee associated with them now. It was also discussed that it may be beneficial for the city to charge for the coverage of firemen at events (such as derbies, etc. - much like the Clinton police charge for providing extra security at events). Fire Chief Mark Manuel said rural fire is talking about going to a rural fire protection district:

there are benefits to this, however, as of now it is only talk. The matter would have to go before a judge and need shown before such a measure could appear on a ballot.

The fire department is requesting the purchase of 12 mattresses: the ones at the station are 15 to 20 years old. A discussion about using ATS for Old Glory Days was held: there will be free transportation at the Old Glory Days events on the square. It was noted that ATS funds are dwindling as are the number of riders.

"There is a healthy balance in the Street Funds," said Christy Maggi. She pointed out that the street department requests included a fabric salt building (for salt storage) and an asphalt paver. The department was recently able to purchase a new truck (made possible from the transportation tax). The Parks and Rec department requests include the refurbishing of the outdoor pool, which has been needed for some time. The council discussed just how necessary certain paints might be in that process wanting to emphasize the purchase of a paint that was more utilitarian that cosmetic. Parks and Rec also have a request for a part time maintenance position.

Before the meeting ended, two other budget items were raised for information only: the increase in minimum wage (the council needed to be aware of this) and that there is another federal holiday the council will need to address at some point (June 19). The council discussions about budget ended at about 1:10 p.m.

City Council Budget Session

The Clinton Daily Democrat stopped by the Henry County Commission about 11 a.m. Thursday morning (June 24). Vin Journey, Henry County Emergency Management Director, was visiting with the commission seeking some guidance on a flood plain issue that has surfaced. A complaint had been brought to Mr. Journey's attention about levees that have been built in flood plain zone, but without permission from the appropriate entities to do so. Normally, permission from the Department of Natural Resources, and other federal agencies have to be obtained to construct any barrier which may impede or alter water flow in certain areas. One complaint, which Director Journey fielded, involves a levee built that puts several structures at risk for flooding on another person's property.

Letters have been sent out to the land owners involved with hope of resolving the situation; however, the Director needed the commission to provide guidance at this point. Commissioner Dale Lawler affirmed sending registered mail to the property owners first, and the commission in general supported following all federal processes for any construction in the flood plain zone (processes could include obtaining a permit, engineering studies, etc.).

Property Transfers

Gail Perryman, Recorder of Deeds

Warranty Deed info entered June 17 between Mary Radford, grantor, and Dee Radford Family (Trust) grantee, Lots 43 and 44 Weavers addition to Clinton

Warranty Deed info entered June 17 between Chad Davis, grantor, and Mark Allison, grantee, Lot 75 OTC

Warranty Deed info entered June 17 between Jennings Land (LLC), grantor, and Roger Close, and Ashley Miller, grantees, 1-43-28

Warranty Deed info entered June 17 between Scranton Family (Trust), grantor, and Charles Ware and Shirley Ware, grantors, Lot 28 Rissell Acres Clinton

Warranty Deed info entered June 17 between Christopher Brooke, grantor, and Richard Green and Kiera Green, grantees, Lot 2 First Addition to Sparrowfoot Country Estates

Warranty Deed info entered June 17 between Luke Kagarice, and Amanda Kagarice, grantors, and Andrew Young, grantee, 10-43-27

Warranty Deed info entered June 17 between Robert Sell, and Brenda Sell, grantors, and Jeremy Eigsti and Melissa Eigsti, grantees, 24-42-24

Warranty Deed info entered June 18 between Merlinda Allen, grantor, and Susan Clark, grantee, Lot 111 OT Clinton

Warranty Deed info entered June 18 between Parker Mills, and Leslie Mills, grantors, and Timmy Harris, and Sabrina Harris, grantees, Lot 128 Dillon Creek Subdivision

Warranty Deed info entered June 21 between Christopher Hidy and Amanda Hidy, grantors, and David Walters, and Karen Walters (Trust), grantees, 12-43-24

Warranty Deed info entered June 21 between John Lesmeister and Sue Lesmeister, grantors, and Sue Lesmeister, and John Lesmeister, grantees,

19-43-24
Warranty Deed info entered June 21 between Rose Reames, and Brenda Taylor, grantors, and Crystal Conrad, and LLOYD Conrad, grantees, LT 60 Avery second addition to Clinton

Warranty Deed info entered June 21 between Steven Gilmore and Deborah Gilmore, grantors, and Wilbert Kropf, and Jessica Kropf, grantees, 14-412-25

Warranty Deed info entered June 21 between Windsor Meeting Hall INC, grantor, and Angela Ingram, grantee, Lots 6, 7, block 6 Fosters second addition to Windsor

Warranty Deed info entered June 21 between Billie Houk and Dawn Houk (Trust) grantors, and Angela Ingram, grantee, Lot 3 Otter Creek Estates

Warranty Deed info entered June 21 Scott Adams, grantor, and Shane Chesher, grantee, Lot 3 Martis Fourth addition to Windsor

Warranty Deed info entered June 21 between Robert Burgess, grantor, and Miles Shupe and Brooke Shupe, grantees, 30-40-27

Warranty Deed info entered June 22, between Robert Sell, and Brenda Sell, grantors, and Douglas Hass, and Debra Hass, grantee, 21-42-24

Warranty Deed info entered June 22 between Montrose Savings Bank, grantor, and William Crowder, and Janette Crowder, grantee, Lots 13, 14, 15, 16 Block 37 OT Montrose

Warranty Deed info entered June 22 between Steve Hadley, grantor, and Cory Wells, grantee, Lot 8 Avery's addition to Clinton

Warranty Deed info entered June 23 between Terry Meyer, Janet Meyer, Suanne Dierking, Kent Dierking, Julie Allee, Ronald Allee, and Charles Meyer JR, grantors, and Justin Meyer, grantee, 10-40-24

Warranty Deed info entered June 23 between George Meyer, Rachel Beckham, Brett Beckham, Justin Meyer, grantors, and Justin Meyer, grantee 8-43-28

Clinton PD Report

ARRESTS REPORT

6/22/21 - Uren, Delbert Douglas, Warrant Arrest - Clinton

6/22/21 - Blackwell, Jonathan Wayne, Taken Into Custody, Assault 4h Deg (Pursuant to subdivisions 3, 6 - Special Victims)

INCIDENT REPORT

6/22/21 - Heim, E - Supplement

6/22/21 - Nelson, M - Test Record - Reprint

6/22/21 - Barry, P - Trespass 1st Degree, Assault 3rd Degree w Weapon, Property Damage 2nd Degree

Marriage Applications

Info entered June 21 between Jayamikah Osborn, 25, Deepwater, and Riley Bradly, 25, Deepwater

Info entered June 23 between Daniel Huff, 48, Windsor, and Rebecca Veach, 38, Windsor

Clinton Fire Department

6/22 5:44 am - Unauthorized burn, 721 East Lincoln St.

6/23 - 5:47am: Public Service (Change Battery in Smoke Alarm), 820 South Iowa Cir.

6/23 - 10:47am: Motor Vehicle Accident, Intersection of South Orchard St. & West Allen St.

6/23 - 12:40pm: Motor Vehicle versus Pedestrian, Intersection of E. Franklin & South Seventh St.

6/23 - 2:27pm: EMS Call, 1100 Block of East Ohio St.

6/23 - 5:07pm: Motor Vehicle Accident, 100 Block of North Second St.

6/24 - 8:45am: Medical Assist with GVMH Ambulance, 1600 Block of East Ohio St.

6/24 - 1:31pm: EMS Call, 500 Block of East Louise Ave.

6/24 - 3:07pm: EMS Call, 900 Block of East Green St.

6/24 - 5:03pm: Medical Assist with GVMH Ambulance, 1000 Block of East Ohio St.

6/24 - 10:09pm: Medical Assist with GVMH Ambulance, 1700 Block of North

Gaines Dr.

6/25 - 12:43pm: EMS Call, 1300 Block of South Seventh St.

6/25 - 5:01pm: Possible Electrical Fire (No Fire), 400 East Bodine St.

6/25 - 5:24pm: Automatic Fire Alarm at Clinton Intermediate School (No Fire), 709 South Eighth St.

6/26 - 6:43am: EMS Call, 42 Block of Wetzel Cir.

6/26 - 12:47pm: Investigation of Gasoline Spill (No Spill Found), 1409 East Ohio St.

6/26 - 4:32pm: Public Service Assistance (Smoke Detector Install), 303 East Elm St.

6/26 - 5:23pm: EMS Call, 400 Block of South Carter St.

6/26 - 11:35pm: Medical Assist with GVMH Ambulance, 200 Block of East Elm St.

6/27 - 12:41pm: EMS Call, 600 Block of South Main St.

6/27 - 4:34pm: Power Line Down, 306 East Grandriver St.

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THURSDAY • JULY 1, 2021 Evening

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MONDAY • JULY 5, 2021 Evening

Table with 12 columns (Time slots: 7 PM, 7:30, 8 PM, 8:30, 9 PM, 9:30, 10 PM, 10:30, 11 PM, 11:30) and 12 rows of TV listings for Monday, July 5, 2021.

FRIDAY • JULY 2, 2021 Evening

Table with 12 columns (Time slots: 7 PM, 7:30, 8 PM, 8:30, 9 PM, 9:30, 10 PM, 10:30, 11 PM, 11:30) and 12 rows of TV listings for Friday, July 2, 2021.

TUESDAY • JULY 6, 2021 Evening

Table with 12 columns (Time slots: 7 PM, 7:30, 8 PM, 8:30, 9 PM, 9:30, 10 PM, 10:30, 11 PM, 11:30) and 12 rows of TV listings for Tuesday, July 6, 2021.

SATURDAY • JULY 3, 2021 Evening

Table with 12 columns (Time slots: 7 PM, 7:30, 8 PM, 8:30, 9 PM, 9:30, 10 PM, 10:30, 11 PM, 11:30) and 12 rows of TV listings for Saturday, July 3, 2021.

WEDNESDAY • JULY 7, 2021 Evening

Table with 12 columns (Time slots: 7 PM, 7:30, 8 PM, 8:30, 9 PM, 9:30, 10 PM, 10:30, 11 PM, 11:30) and 12 rows of TV listings for Wednesday, July 7, 2021.

SUNDAY • JULY 4, 2021 Evening

Table with 12 columns (Time slots: 7 PM, 7:30, 8 PM, 8:30, 9 PM, 9:30, 10 PM, 10:30, 11 PM, 11:30) and 12 rows of TV listings for Sunday, July 4, 2021.

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WEEK OF JULY 1ST WEEKLY HOROSCOPE

Horoscope text for the week of July 1st, covering signs Aries, Taurus, Gemini, Cancer, Leo, Virgo, Libra, Scorpio, Sagittarius, Capricorn, Aquarius, and Pisces.

Henry County Fair Queens

The Henry County Fair is seeking Queen Candidates for their 2021 Henry County Fair. The contest features 3 age categories: Jr Queen ages 7-11, Pre Queen ages 12-16 and Queen ages 17-22. Contestants must be a single female, without children and must reside in Henry County. Candidates will be judged on an interview, talent/speech, evening gown and public question/answer (pre queen and queen only). Fair queen will be eligible (but not obligated) to compete in Missouri State Fair Queen Contest. Judging and coronation will be Sunday, July 11, 2021. Queens will reign over the events of the 2021 Henry County Fair - July 10-18, 2021. For more information, contact the University Extension Office at 660-885-5556 or henryco@missouri.edu.

Red Cross Experiences Blood Shortage

The American Red Cross continues to experience a severe blood shortage that is negatively affecting blood product availability across the country. Donors of all blood types - especially type O and those giving platelets - are

urged to make an appointment to give now and help ensure hospital shelves are stocked with blood products over the Fourth of July holiday and beyond.

Right now, the Red Cross is working around the clock to provide blood products to hospitals responding to an unusually high number of traumas and emergency room visits, as well as overdoses and resulting transplants. As a result of the blood shortage, some hospitals are being forced to slow the pace of elective surgeries until the blood supply stabilizes, delaying crucial patient care.

In addition, while summer is traditionally a time when blood donations decline, this year is particularly challenging as many Americans receive their vaccinations and resume summer activities after more than a year of limited interactions and travel, leading to lower donor turnout. The need for blood doesn't take a holiday break - patients still depend on lifesaving transfusions.

Donors are needed now to prevent further delays to patient care. Schedule an appointment to give blood now by using the Red Cross Blood Donor App, visiting RedCrossBlood.org, calling 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-

733-2767) or enabling the Blood Donor Skill on any Alexa Echo device.

As a thank-you, all those who come to give July 1-6 will receive a Red Cross embroidered hat, while supplies last. And, donors who come to give July 7-31 will receive a \$10 Amazon.com Gift Card by email, plus a chance to win gas for a year (a \$5,000 value). (Terms and conditions apply; visit rcblood.org/fuel).

In most cases, those who have received a COVID-19 vaccine can donate. However, knowing the name of the manufacturer of the vaccine they received is important in determining donation eligibility.

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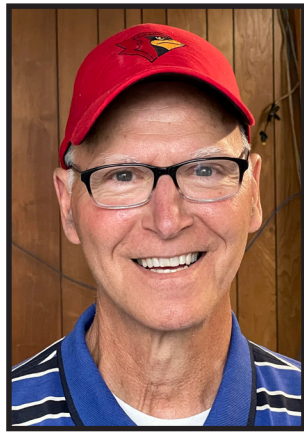


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AREA SPORTS with Sports Editor TIM KOMER



This I Remember

Ian Radford: "I was playing high school varsity soccer and I had a perfect opportunity for a goal. I was inside the goal box approximately 15 feet from the goal with the ball approaching at head height. I made a flying side scissors kick making full contact. It was a sure goal. I hit the ground and as I looked up to everyone's disbelief the goalie was flying five feet off the ground across the goal and he caught my 'sure' shot. I waited for him to send the ball down the field and shook his hand."
Irene Komer: "I have a ton of positive memories from my

track days but sometimes you remember the unusual or tough days the most. I was running the mile in heat #1. The judges literally lost count of the laps and made my heat run an extra lap. I complained like crazy but to no avail. Later they realized their mistake (and apologized) but it stopped my winning streak. In another track race a girl clipped my heel and my right shoe went flying off. I remember the spectators calling out, "She's running with one shoe!" I kept running and I was able to hold her off for the win. Many, many memories."

Local Girls Softball



SHOW ME RV (front row, left to right): Madison Goodloe, Maddie Hess, Haidon Yates, Kayleigh Bigler and Ana "Sox" Beebe. Back row, Brian Beebe, Josh Hawkins, Julia Cochran, Gracie Hawkins, Izzy Yates, Briana Davis, Ava Steward, James Degraffenried and Lajeanna Degraffenried.



SECURE NET (back row, left to right): Coach Beth Wilson, Sydnei Desbien, Emah Hernandez-Jimenez, Evah Hernandez-Jimenez, Parker Wilson, Lexie Matney and Troy Bohannan. Front row, Lana Avis, Bentleigh Amburg, Liny Wilson and Willow Bohannan. Not pictured, Jacy Jones and Hazel Avis.



Jerry's Pest Control (front row, left to right): Sydney Sudduth, Elie Lewis, Hadley Brewer and Lynnex Mothersbaugh. Back row, Coach Erin Wilson, Haidon Yates, Lily Schussler, Aliya Osterloh and Jenna Slater. Not pictured, Winter Foulk, Alayna Harkey and Bella Minton.

Truman Lake Baseball



THE ELITE REALTY TEAM: Front row, left to right, Wyatt Moore, Tyler Hembree, Ryan Keith, Gavin Holsinger and Billy Gortmaker. Back row, Jonathan Neill, Trey Faulconer, Chase Beasley, Justin Burke, Caleb Eaton, Isiah Motley and Coach Joe Millington.



TEAM ADKINS: Back row, left to right, Aden Bigler, Dalton Harrill, Tyler Johnson, Nick Fandrich, Austin Clifton and Jonathan Jones. Front row, Corbin Dody, Dawson Harrill, Garrett Coleman, Noah Bigler, Trenton Ford, Dakota Harrill and bat boy Aden Jones. Coaches are Nick Smith and Nathan Fandrich. Not pictured: Sean Peace. The games are played on Tuesday and Friday nights at the Wagoner East Field.

Fandrich Brothers All Involved In TLB



THE THREE FANDRICH BROTHERS involved in the 2021 Truman Lake Baseball league. Noah umpiring, Nathan coaching and Nick a player in the league.

The main man behind Truman Lake Baseball is Dave Akers. He has been the main force behind this summer baseball program for some time, but clearly he has good help. Let me point out some of the help he is getting this year. The two head coaches are Joe Millington and Nathan Fandrich. You can't play organized ball without dependable coaches, but here's something that was recently brought to my attention. Nathan Fandrich, as noted, is coaching one of the TLB teams. Nathan's youngest brother Nick is playing in the league and his brother Noah is the league's main umpire. I love it when families get involved. The parents of the 'Fandrich Brothers' are Kent and Marci Fandrich of Clinton. Play ball!

Becky's Biking Buddies



REBEKAH (BECKY) KOMER and two friends stop for a picture to celebrate as they leave the state of Washington.

After 20 days the "Pedal the Pacific" challenge is moving through Oregon. Becky Komer (our daughter) with 11 other young women are bicycling from Seattle, Washington to San Diego, California. The picture above was taken when they were leaving the State of Washington on a bright sunning day. But, Becky reported they rode in the rain for most of their first five days. When you read this (on July 1) They will be approaching southern Oregon. They hope to be in San Diego by the end of July.

We will give you more reports. (What is Pedal the Pacific?) It is a charitable organization determined to bring awareness and financial support for organizations that fight Sex Trafficking in this country and around the world; a far bigger problem than most people realize. For more information go to pedalthePacific.org.

Clinton Men's Slow Pitch Standings

(As of June 24)

Team	W	L
El Camino	10	4
Backdoor Sliders	10	2
Mallard's	9	1
Misfits	3	11
Fairway Mortgage	1	10
Hawthorn	6	5
Jolley	8	5
AVFAB	1	10

Clinton Youth Baseball Majors



KIASSON CONSTRUCTION (front row, left to right): Kingston Day, Hayden Clifton, Drake Cannon, Jacob Wombles, Isaiah Dykstra and Dallas Hutcherson. Second row, Gabriel Groves, Owen Hetherington, Malachi Kline, Jaxon Pugh, Cayden Mentzer and Heath Chiles. Back row, Coaches, Mark Craig, Anthony Day, Jeremy Cannon, Chad Chiles and Gerad Wombles. Not pictured, Braeden Walters and Coach Jack Hetherington.



GILLIS FAMILY DENTISTRY (front row, left to right): Grayson Gillis, Jake Kirk, David Mauer, Konnor Uribe, Brody Booth, Aaron Smith and Abram Dody. Back row, Coach Donnie Wilson, Ryan Custer, Jake Mendenhall, Noah Ford, Kannon Uribe, and Coach Daniel Dody. Not Pictured, Collin Keith.

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SOME YOUNG SOCCER PLAYERS working out at the recent U11 Fire tryout: Left to right, Lane Kubilus, Jackson Lada, Blake Lewis and Colt Carlton.

The Clinton Fire U11 Boys held a tryout on Monday, June 21 at the Soccer Complex and filled their roster for the fall season. They play in the Heartland League in Overland Park. (The largest soccer league in the Midwest.) The team is coached by Jarod Carlton. The travel team will start practicing at the end of July with the league starting towards the end of August. If you have questions about any Fire team contact Casey Duncan at 660 233 0145 or caseysites@gmail.com.

Clinton Dolphins Out-Swim Butler Bears



AJ PHILLIPS, GUY WETZEL, AND ADAM GILBERT helped the GVSC Dolphins beat the Bears (315-124) on Saturday, June 26 at the Artesian Pool.

Medley Relays (Sat. June 26) - Top GVSC Places

Event 1 8 & Under Girls 100 M
1 BREWER 2:19.96 FOWLER, GILLIS, JOHNS
Event 2 8 & Under Boys
1 BREWER 2:01.10 GILLIS, MILLS, NOLD
Event 3 9-10 Girls
1 JOHNSON 1:34.84 KLAHS, MILLS, WOHLERS
Event 4 9-10 Boys
1 DUNCAN 2:10.21 GILBERT, PHILLIPS, WETZEL
Event 5 11-12 Girls 200 M Medley
1 ETTERS 3:15.38 HORTON, JOHNSON, PURINTON
Event 7 13-14 Girls
1 GILBERT 4:06.61 KLAHS, LAWSON, NOLD
Event 10 15 & Over Boys
1 BROWN 3:05.12 JOHNS, LISTERUD E, LISTERUD P

Freestyle

Event 11 8 & Under Girls 25 M
1 FOWLER 24.99, 2 GILLIS 32.47
Event 11 8 & Under Girls 3 JOHNS 35.56
Event 12 8 & Under Boys
1 BREWER 21.25, 2 MILLS 25.39, 3 GILLIS 29.20
Event 13 9-10 Girls 50 M Freestyle
1 JOHNSON 39.94, 2 MILLS 44.40, 3 KLAHS 45.38
Event 14 9-10 Boys
1 PHILLIPS 40.43, 2 GILBERT 41.48, 4 WETZEL 45.99
Event 15 11-12 Girls
1 PURINTON 36.13, 3 HORTON 37.28, 4 JOHNSON 37.65
Event 16 11-12 Boys 1 BROWN 0:48.91, 2 BOOTH 0:51.38
Event 17 13-14 Girls 1 GILBERT 36.75, 3 KLAHS 53.67
Event 18 13-14 Boys 1 LISTERUD P 30.73, 3 JOHNS 47.98
Event 19 15 & Over Girls 2 HORTON 40.13
Event 20 15 & Over Boys 1 LISTERUD E 28.79

Butterfly

Event 21 8 & Under Girls 25 M 1 FOWLER 31.51
Event 22 8 & Under Boys
1 BREWER 29.88, 2 NOLD 32.27, 3 GILLIS 0:32.19
Event 23 9-10 Girls 50 M Butterfly
1 JOHNSON 0:46.69, 2 MILLS 0:57.39
Event 24 9-10 Boys 1 DUNCAN 0:52.82
Event 25 11-12 Girls 1 PURINTON 40.17, 4 LAWSON 1:05.71
Event 28 13-14 Boys 1 LISTERUD P 33.24
Event 29 15 & Over Girls 2 HORTON 48.39
Event 30 15 & Over Boys 1 LISTERUD 30.77

Breaststroke

Event 31 8 & Under Girls 25 M 1 JOHNS 37.95
Event 32 8 & Under Boys

1 NOLD 31.28, 3 MILLS 37.92, 4 BREWER 44.75
Event 33 9-10 Girls 50 M Breaststroke
1 WOHLERS 1:00.80, 2 MILLS 1:02.56, 3 KLAHS 1:07.61
Event 34 9-10 Boys 1 DUNCAN 1:00.32, 2 GILBERT 1:03.52
Event 35 11-12 Girls 3 JOHNSON 55.02, 4 NOLD 59.88
Event 36 11-12 Boys 2 BROWN 1:26.54
Event 37 13-14 Girls 1 POST 52.54
Event 37 13-14 Girls 2 GILBERT 56.54
Event 38 13-14 Boys 1 JOHNS 1:04.95
Event 40 15 & Over Boys 1 LISTERUD E 39.32

Backstroke

Event 41 8 & Under Girls 25 M
1 BREWER 26.01, 2 JOHNS 37.54
Event 42 8 & Under Boys 1 NOLD 29.52, 2 GILLIS 35.28
Event 43 9-10 Girls 50 M Backstroke 1 WOHLERS 56.60
Event 43 9-10 Girls 2 WOHLERS 56.73, 3 1 4 KLAHS 58.85
Event 44 9-10 Boys 1 GILBERT 53.83, 2 PHILLIPS 55.67
Event 45 11-12 Girls
1 PURINTON 44.262 HORTON 49.75, 3 ETTERS 52.97
Event 46 11-12 Boys 1 BROWN 1:00.74
Event 47 13-14 Girls 1 GILBERT 46.60
Event 49 15 & Over Girls 2 HORTON 49.25

Ind. Medley

Event 51 8 & Under Girls 200 M Individual Medley
1 BREWER 4:47.43
Event 53 9-10 Girls 1 JOHNSON 3:47.68, 2 WOHLERS 4:30.98
Event 54 9-10 Boys 1 DUNCAN 4:18.13
Event 55 11-12 Girls 2 JOHNSON 3:44.96
Event 58 13-14 Boys 1 LISTERUD P 2:57.10, 2 JOHNS 4:29.40
Event 61 8 & Under Girls
1 BREWER 1:55.40 FOWLER, GILLIS, JOHNS
Event 62 8 & Under Boys
1 BREWER 1:49.66, GILLIS, MILLS, NOLD
Event 63 9-10 Girls
1 JOHNSON 1:20.97, KLAHS, MILLS, WOHLERS
Event 64 9-10 Boys
1 DUNCAN 1:19.34, GILBERT, PHILLIPS, WETZEL
Event 65 11-12 Girls 200 M Freestyle Relay
1 ETTERS 2:39.27 HORTON, JOHNSON, PURINTON
Event 67 13-14 Girls
1 GILBERT 3:13.86, KLAHS, LAWSON, NOLD
Event 70 15 & Over Boys
1 BROWN 2:38.59, JOHNS, LISTERUD E, LISTERUD P.

By Grace Performance Team Shines At Nationals



The By Grace Dance Team: "Here Comes Dr. Seuss".



"I Won't Dance" Trio, 7th place overall high score.

The By Grace Performance Team attended Nationals with Stage One National Dance Competition in Branson June 15-19. Earlier this season, the team attended the regional competition which made them eligible to attend the National event.

Our soloists receiving Platinum Awards were: Haysel Avis, Benjamyn Diaz, and Keira McConnell. Soloists receiving High Gold Awards were: Jazsneelia Harding, Onlee Avis, Audrey Higgins, Maycee Wray, Ashlyn McConnell and Jasmyn Diaz. Benjamyn Diaz placed 4th overall high score for his solo to "When I'm Older". Haysel Avis placed 7th overall high score for her hip hop solo to "High Top Shoes". All of our duets and trios received High Gold Awards. In addition, a trio performed by Haysel Avis, Harper Coutts and Ashlyn McConnell to "Tutus and Tennis Shoes" received 5th place overall high score. Another trio performed by Benjamyn Diaz, Jasmyn Diaz and Audrey Higgins to "I Won't Dance" received 7th overall high score. Our group routines in jazz, tap and open categories all received High Gold Awards. Congratulations to the team members on a great ending to their season. The By Grace Performance Team is directed by Vanessa Diaz and Riley Bradley. Auditions for next year's team will be held in late August.

7 V 7 Passing League



CARDINALS WARMING UP on Monday, June 21.

The area Summer 7 v 7 Passing League has been taking place at the Cardinal Stadium on Mondays during the month of June. The schools attending have been Windsor, Butler, Adrian, Sherwood, Warsaw, Lone Jack, Clinton Red and Clinton Blue. Coach LaFavor and his staff have been working with the two Clinton squads.



TRISTON SWITZER making a great catch in the passing league.

GVMH Foundation Golf Tourney



CONGRATULATIONS to Compass Health Network's team for finishing first in the morning round on Saturday, June 26. (The afternoon round was partially rained out.) Rain or not everybody had a good time. The winning team in the morning was: Casey Duncan, Ryan Summers, Tim Swinfard and Sami Swinfard. Sami also won the "Most Accurate Drive". Golden Valley Memorial Hospital Foundation is a non-profit healthcare foundation focused on supporting the mission of Golden Valley Memorial Healthcare, a leading rural healthcare organization located in Clinton, Missouri.



LOFTON MILLS won a signed Nick Bolton Mizzou helmet in the silent auction at the GVMH annual golf event.

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The Little Apple



In an effort to better represent the needs and interests of all area residents, a member of Representative Vicky Hartzler's staff, Lauren Mann, will be available at the St. Clair County Courthouse to meet with you, listen to your concerns, and address any problems you may have with a federal agency. Thursday, June 24, 1:00-2:00 p.m. at the St. Clair County Courthouse, 655 2nd St., Osceola, MO 64776. For more information, contact Lauren Mann at 816-884-3411.

AC Athletic Boosters, Inc. will have a meeting on Sunday, June 27 at 6:30 in the high school commons room. This is their annual officer election. All 3 of the current officers have resigned. If no one shows up, or steps up, the booster club will dissolve. Booster club supports all of the student athletes when there is a need. Please join in and help the kids.

The 17th Annual Appleton City Car, Truck and Motorcycle Show will be held Saturday, July 10 at the City Park. Check-in is from 8:00 a.m. to noon and the Car Show will be from noon to 3:00 p.m. There will be a \$10 entry fee per vehicle. There will be judging for all classes with the top 70 for cars and trucks, top 3 for motorcycles and top 3 for rat rods. The first 150 entries will be given dash plaques. There will also be a 50-50 drawing, door prizes, goodie bags and a live auction. Food concessions, biscuits & gravy and cobbler & ice cream will be available. Budman will present music entertainment. Proceeds from the Show will go toward a pair of \$1000 scholarships for local high school students. In addition, Zink Motor Co, which is one of the oldest Ford dealerships in the country, is hosting the Kansas City Antique Car Clu8b at the dealership in Appleton City during the car show. 20-25 Model A's and Model T's will be on display. There will be an open house and tours of this historic dealership. The admission is free. The location for this show is across the street from the Appleton City Car Show. For car show information, call Bob Roos 660-492-2822, George Moore 660-476-5574, Ed Hardesty 660-464-0360 or Doug Snodgrass 660-492-2814, or email to appleton-citycarshow@yahoo.

com.

There will be a benefit dinner and auction for Kirk Schussler to raise money to help with medical and chemotherapy expenses due to colon cancer. The benefit will be held on Saturday, July 10 at the Montrose Community Building in Montrose. All monies raised will be put into an account that has been established as the Kirk Schussler Medical Fund at the Montrose Savings Bank. A whole hog dinner will be served with to go meals being offered. The dinner will be served from 5:00 - 7:30 with the auction beginning at 7:30. Anyone wishing to donate items for the auction may contact Kristina Klass at 660-492-3436. Anyone wishing to donate to the medical fund can leave it at the Montrose Savings Bank or mail it to Kristina Klass at PO Box 86, Montrose, MO 64770. Thank you for your support.

During the Sesquicentennial Celebration there are many area to participate in exhibiting military items, art creations, quilts, polish up the special vehicle and tractor, crank up the small engine, built an outstanding float, grow those whiskers, sew up an old fashion costume, sit back and enjoy the movie or listen to the Main Street APP, dig in the closet for the decade clothing to wear or loan to someone to model, or clothing is available that needs models. Positions need to be filled for greeters at all the exhibits to welcome the visitors. And don't forget to buy your souvenirs early, some may sell out. The final event schedule is still tentative, but is scheduled for August 12-15. Read the AC Journal or follow them on Facebook at appleton-citymosesquicentennial2020. For questions call 660-476-5857 9:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m. or email with subject SQC to acmolampkin@yahoo.com

4x6 photos of former AC mayors are being requested to preserve AC History. Please leave them at City Hall.

In conjunction with the Appleton City Sesquicentennial Celebration and also the congregation's Sesquicentennial (+1), Trinity Lutheran Church will be sponsoring a quilt show at the church and inviting area quilters to participate. The Quilt Show will be Friday and Saturday, August 13-14 during the Sesquicentennial. Included in the show will be hand-quilted, machine-quilted, embroidered, appliquéd, and baby quilts, and wall hangings. If your quilt, either old or newer, has an interesting story with it, also plan on sharing that with the public. The

show pre-registration begins now and ends June 30. At this time, 1 item can be registered per entry. After June 30, depending on responses, the registration may be opened up again to include more available spaces at the show. A \$25 prize will be awarded in each category and a \$50 "People's Choice" Award. Call or text Kathy Rodick at 417-309-0471 with your name, address, phone number, and entry category, and a packet will be sent to be completed and brought with you to the show set-up on Thursday, August 12.

The annual Ellett Memorial Hospital Community Block Party is scheduled for Saturday, August 7. Follow their Facebook page for new and exciting vendors being added this year. Word on the street is KC Wolf may be making an appearance again this year!

There will be a benefit chicken dinner Friday, June 25 from 4:00-7:30 p.m. at the Fair Haven Park (on HWY C, 8 miles north of Walker, MO) to benefit Stoney Creek and Walnut Creek Schools. The menu is all you can eat fried or BBQ grilled chicken, chicken & noodles, beans cole slaw, homemade bread and butter with freshly cranked ice cream and homemade pies for dessert. For information, contact Leroy at 417-432-1020. A freewill donation will be greatly appreciated.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

June 24 Representative Vicky Hartzler's staff, Lauren Mann, will be at the St. Clair County Courthouse 1:00-2:00 p.m.

June 27 AC Athletic Boosters, Inc. meeting 6:30 in the high school commons room

June 28-July 1 AC First Baptist Church VBS 5:30 - 8:30 p.m.

July 4 Independence Day Holiday (observed July 5)

July 10 AC Car Show The Fireworks stand run by the James Girls and Bry in the Back Room of the Old Pizzeria Store is set up and ready. The shelves are overflowing with a wide variety. Follow them on Facebook at James Family Fireworks for information and specials. Come shop in air conditioning. Hours are: Friday June 25 - 26 11:00 - 9:00, Thurs July 1-July 2 11:00 - 9:00, Sat July 3 - July 4 10:00 - 9:00, Monday July 5 12:00 - 9:00.

Give yourself credit. New Growth and joining partners want to let everyone know about a credit building workshop on June 30 from 4:00-5:30. This FREE session includes a free copy of your credit and a personalized credit action plan with step by step guidance on how to improve your

credit score without spending any money. Do you need a checking account? Sign up for one at the event. Speakers include Jo Ann Lane, Benton County Missouri Economic Development Director and Kelly Asbury, EDFP, CGBP, Director. This workshop will be held at the Lincoln City Hall in Lincoln, MO. Register at <https://www.newgrowthmo.org/event/give-yourself-credit-lincoln-mo/>. For questions, contact msmith@wcmca.org

West Central Missouri Community Action Agency's Senior Care found a way to encourage safe socialization during the midst of a pandemic. COVID-19 enhanced the isolation and loneliness that many seniors experience. Senior Care Pen Pals are matched with other seniors that have similar likes and hobbies. Writing kits are provided and include all the necessary items to become successful writing companions. Kits include stationery, note cards, all occasion greeting cards, ink pens, motivational quotes to share and postage stamps. If you are 65 and older and are interested in learning how to become a Senior Care Pen Pal, please contact Senior Care staff at 660-476-2185.

Community members may enroll in Taking Care of You, a virtual class presented by the University of Missouri Extension program that offers practical strategies for dealing with stress and life challenges. Developed by an interdisciplinary MU Extension team, the research-based program focuses on positive psychology and mindfulness in sessions held over eight weeks. Participants learn concepts and practical strategies they can incorporate into their everyday lives through small group discussion, self-reflection and group activities. The program teaches ways to: Take better care of body, mind and spirit health, Become more aware of the mind-body connection, and how to use this awareness for better health, Respond rather than react to life's stressors, Discover opportunities in life's challenges, Develop habits that can lead to better health, Find ways to bring more joy into life, Simplify life and Live more in the moment. The class will meet on Mondays at 12:00 - 1:00 p.m. via zoom July 12, 2021 through August 30. Registration is available online at <https://extension.missouri.edu/events/taking-care-of-you-online-cass-county> through Wednesday July 7, 2021. For questions, more information, or accommodations, call

Kyleigh Sullivan at 660-619-1355 or email her at SullivanKD@Missouri.edu

First Baptist Church in Appleton City, MO invites children to Rocky Railway VBS: Jesus' power pulls us through. A summer kid's event called Rocky Railway VBS will be hosted at First Baptist Church from June 28 to July 1. At Rocky Railway, kids discover through life's ups and downs that Jesus' power pulls us through. Kids participate in memorable Bible-learning activities, sing catchy songs, play teamwork-building games, engage in fun snack-eating experiences, take part in one-of-a-kind Bible adventures, collect Bible memory buddies to remind them to trust Jesus, and test out sciency-fun gizmos they'll take home and play with all summer long. Plus, kids will learn to look for evidence of God all around them through something called God sightings. Each day concludes with the Rocky Wrap-Up that gets everyone involved in living what they've learned. Family members and friends are encouraged to join in daily for this special time at 8:15 p.m. Kids at Rocky Railway VBS will join a mission effort to provide helpful alpacas for families in need in Ecuador, South America. Rocky Railway is for kids from 3 years old through those that have completed 4th grade and will run from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. each day. The final evening of VBS will be a family night. They are inviting families to come join them for a meal, experience some of the things your kids did during Vacation Bible School, and end the evening with some yard games.

You can sign your child up free online at <https://forms.gle/rCnuhFRY4ncRmFwv6>. For more information, call 660-476-5512 or message them through Facebook at First Baptist Church of Appleton City

Five area churches are teaming together to present a community VBS on July 12-16 from 6:00-8:00 p.m. each evening. They invite all kids ages 3 years- 6th grade to join them on this "Journey with Jesus". Each church will host an evening: Trinity UMC - Monday, Rockville UMC - Tuesday, Church of God - Wednesday, River of Life - Thursday, Christian Church - Friday. Visit 3 different nights and you will be able to attend a pool party to end the week! Transportation will be available if needed. Contact Paige at 660-492-0985 for more info. You can register online at <https://forms.gle/UaZUn4VKJqJT->

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Trinity Lutheran Church will hold their annual Vacation Bible School July 5 and 6, 2021.

Native grasses can be a useful grazing tool for cattle in the summer months. Therefore, MU Extension is cooperating with NRCS, Missouri Department of Conservation and the Nature Conservancy of Missouri to provide a native grass pasture walk on June 28. This pasture walk will begin at 6:00 p. m. at Schaaf Farms northeast of El Dorado Springs, Mo. There will be a brief discussion by the landowner about cattle and forage management on the operation. Furthermore, there will be representatives there from the cooperating organizations to provide discussion as well as answer questions related to the cattle grazing management on native grasses. There will be a light meal offered at the pasture walk. Register for the free pasture walk in order to attend by June 25th by contacting the Cedar County MU Extension Center at (417) 276-3313 or online at <https://extension.missouri.edu/events/native-grass-pasture-walk>. or more information on proper grasslands management visit the MU+NRCS Grasslands website at <https://extension.missouri.edu/programs/nrcs-mu-grasslands-project> or the MU/MDC native grass website at <https://extension.missouri.edu/programs/native-grass-project>.

Ellett Memorial Hospital Appleton City offers outpatient specialist services for June, 2021. Call 660-476-2111 for appointments: June 23 - Ortho-Dr. Gray, June 23 - Ophthalmology - Dr. Soni, June 24 - Rheumatology, Dr. Tay

Art Day At Gallery Three

Gallery Three is excited to announce that Wednesday's have been declared Art Day. We invite area artists to bring their projects into the gallery to work on while enjoying some artistic fellowship. We can share ideas, hints of the trade, inspiration and a touch of laughter. Bring in your own art piece and supplies so you will have what you need. We do have some basic supplies on hand which we are willing to share. We also have various color sheets for those who would like to join us, but don't have a particular idea to work on. This is an open invitation, every Wednesday, 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. for the rest of the summer.

There is so much talent in this area. It

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Bakers And Candy Makers

It is too late to begin and finish a counted cross-stitch project or grow tomatoes and get them canned for the Henry County Fair. However, there is still time to make candy, bake cookies, bread or brownies for the food preparation division of the Home Economics Division in the 73rd annual Henry County Fair. Youth and adults may enter all divisions.

There are four divisions for food preparation; candy, cookies, yeast breads and quick breads. Six pieces of candy constitutes an entry. Place five pieces of candy on a disposable plate, in a sliding closure plastic bag; then wrap one piece of candy in plastic wrap for judging. Entries may be fudge, mints, dipped chocolates or any other candy.

For cookie entries, arrange three cookies on a disposable plate placed in a sliding closure plastic bag. Then wrap one additional cookie in plastic wrap for judging.

Planning to enter yeast bread or a quick bread? An entry is 1/2 loaf in a sliding closure plastic bag and one slice wrapped in plastic wrap for judging.

Dinner rolls, cinnamon rolls, muffins, and biscuits may also be entered. Bring 3 rolls or 4 muffins or biscuits for an entry.

Need more details? A complete listing of classes is available in the fair book. Fair books are available at the Library, Chamber of Commerce, area businesses and the Extension Center at 120 East Lincoln, under the water tower in Clinton. Or on-line at <https://extension.missouri.edu/henry>.

Find your best recipes and gather your ingredients for a baking or candy-making marathon. Bring your baked items to the fair Monday, July 12 between 10:00am and 1:00 pm. at the Benson Center adjacent to the Henry County Fairgrounds. Exhibits are released on Thursday, July 15 between 4:00-6:00pm.

If you have questions, call the Extension Center at 660-885-5556.

Gardner Family Reunion

The descendants of William F. Gardner, son of James D, and Charlotte Temple Allen Gardner, were invited to gather together Sat., June 5, 2021. A blessing was said over a BOUNTIFUL dinner by Jay Rothmayer, the seventh generation to reside on the Gardner Homestead in Doyal Township, St. Clair County, Missouri. Those we've lost in the two years since we met

together were missed anew.

Those in attendance: Luella (Gardner) Meloy, Betty (McCoy) Jacobs, Don Baker, Lynn Gardner, Ben Gardner, Jeremy and Rachel (Gardner) Rothmayer with Jay and Grace, Curtis and Lucinda (Meloy) Wisner, Kyler Foley, Dan and Shelby Wisner with Lydia and Truman (Fulton) Pruitt, and Sarah (Pruitt) Morris. The event was held in the Fellowship Hall of the Vista Baptist Church where so many family members have worshiped over its 105 years of existence.

Late greetings were received from Sharon (Gardner) Bender and her brother, Harold, children of Watson Gardner, and grandchildren of William F. Gardner's oldest son, Bert and Nellie (Smith) Gardner.

Parson To Attend Bicentennial Events

Governor Mike Parson and First Lady Teresa Parson announced their participation in several statewide bicentennial events leading up to and following Missouri Statehood Day on Tuesday, August 10, 2021.

"As we approach the 200th anniversary of our state this August, we are reminded of the dedication, passion, and love so many people have for Missouri. Missourians work hard every day to continue building on the strong foundation that has made our state a great place to live, work, and raise a family," Governor and First Lady Parson said. "From our rural areas to the big cities, Missouri offers so much to so many, and the story of our state is one to be remembered, shared, and celebrated."

Missouri Statehood Day marks an important milestone of 200 years since the Missouri Territory became the 24th state to enter the Union. In celebration of the state's bicentennial year, the Governor and First Lady will plan to visit historical sites and communities across Missouri as part of a Bicentennial Tour from July to August. Event details will be provided in Governor Parson's weekly schedule as they are confirmed.

The Governor and First Lady will also take part in several of the Missouri Bicentennial Commission's sponsored festivities leading up to Statehood Day events on August 10, 2021, in Jefferson City. As part of Missouri's statewide bicentennial celebration, the Governor's Office will also be hosting a Bicentennial Inaugural Parade in Jefferson City on Saturday, September 18, 2021, at 10 a.m. to showcase Missouri's

past, present, and future. The Bicentennial Inaugural Ball will be held that evening following the parade at the Missouri State Capitol.

The Bicentennial Inaugural Parade will celebrate the swearing-in of Missouri's elected officials from this year's Bicentennial Inauguration as well as highlight the history and significance of all 114 counties across the state of Missouri.

"Our counties, communities, and citizens are what make Missouri the state we all know and love, and we are excited to celebrate our rich heritage together," Governor and First Lady Parson said.

The Governor's Office is looking for additional participants from across the state to showcase Missouri history. For more information on Governor Parson's Bicentennial Tour and to sign up to participate in the Bicentennial Inaugural Parade, please click here.

Missourians are encouraged to visit Missouri2021.org to discover events taking place across the state throughout the year.

CROSSWORD SOLUTION

- ACROSS**
- 1) Hang-out buddy
 - 5) Calendar mo.
 - 8) One of two berths
 - 13) Cause some vexation
 - 14) Ignore socially
 - 16) Persona non (unwelcome one)
 - 17) Sicilian lava source
 - 18) Not needing to be broken
 - 19) Some Parliament members
 - 20) Ding-a-lings
 - 23) Feminine pronoun
 - 24) Brass that resembles gold
 - 25) "Pulp Fiction" character (with "the")
 - 28) Ghostly sound
 - 29) "No ___ ands or butts"
 - 31) Damage
 - 32) Cable sports award
 - 35) Target of a tiny arrow
 - 38) Make amends
 - 40) Create empty-nesters
 - 43) Be reckless with a bucket
 - 44) "Dynamics" start
 - 45) They may get in your hair
 - 46) Dine
 - 47) Parabola
 - 49) Aviate
 - 51) Mushroom part
 - 53) Pure and virtuous
 - 56) Auto group letters
 - 59) Common morning fare
 - 62) Expenditures
 - 64) Shepard who went around and around
 - 65) "Uno, dos" follower
 - 66) Dislodges
 - 67) Actress Campbell
 - 68) Penny
 - 69) Axes or cans
 - 70) Like many roses
 - 71) Movie locations
- DOWN**
- 1) Leafy salad green
 - 2) Unforeseen obstacle
 - 3) Some human bones
 - 4) Potatoes go-with
 - 5) Kuiper Belt object
 - 6) Render weaponless
 - 7) Louisiana dish
 - 8) Jamaican citrus fruit
 - 9) Fork feature
 - 10) Penny-pinching
 - 11) Bus station announcement (Abbr.)
 - 12) ___ in rabbit (grade-school lesson)
 - 15) Certain German
 - 21) "Not a moment ___ soon!"
 - 22) "___ Wiedersehen"
 - 26) Canine disease
 - 27) Try too hard, competitively
 - 28) Some tourney draws
 - 30) Spotted
 - 32) A lot of Mississippi?
 - 33) Water balloon-hitting-cement soun
 - 34) Sit-in participant
 - 36) Male carriage driver
 - 37) It shows George's face
 - 39) Neat as a pin
 - 41) "I figured it out!"
 - 42) Started to melt
 - 48) "His Master's Voice" of old electronics
 - 50) Was in charge of everyone
 - 52) Janis Joplin's "Me and Bobby ___"
 - 54) Having more capabilities
 - 55) Toil away
 - 56) Correspond, grammatically
 - 57) Contract negotiator, often
 - 58) Admin. aides
 - 60) "Dress For Less" chain
 - 61) List-ending abbreviations
 - 62) Not working today
 - 63) Canton in Switzerland

HERE, THERE AND EVERYWHERE By Timothy E. Parker

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Compared to last week, steers under 500 lbs. sold mostly steady with steers over 500 selling 2.5 higher. Heifers traded 2.5 higher. Slaughter cows sold mostly steady.

Steers, Med, & Lg. Frame #1	Heifers, Med, & Lg. Frame #1
300-400 lbs. \$171-\$191	300-400 lbs. \$140-\$161
400-500 lbs. \$161-\$188	400-500 lbs. \$138-\$158.50
500-600 lbs. \$150-\$185	500-600 lbs. \$128-\$157
600-700 lbs. \$134-\$167	600-700 lbs. \$124-\$147
700-800 lbs. \$128-\$153	700-800 lbs. \$115-\$142
800-900 lbs. \$121-\$143.25	800-900 lbs. \$110-\$134.75
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Entering Preserved Food In Henry County Fair



FOOD PRESERVATION has gained in popularity as consumers seek wholesome food they have grown. However, the weather is not always cooperative with gardening efforts. If you have canned items, please enter them in the Henry County Fair.

Do you garden and preserve food? Enter your canned, pickled and dried products and jellies or jams in the Henry County Fair next week. Entries are accepted Monday, July 12 between 10:00am and 1:00pm.

Food Preservation has six divisions: fruit, vegetables, pickles and relishes, jellies and jams, meats and dried.

The home economics department of the fair reminds exhibitors that all canning entries must be labeled with the product name, date of preparation, processing method, and processing time. All preserved foods must have been prepared within a one-year period prior to July 12.

A complete listing of classes is in the fair book. Fair books and exhibit entry tags are available at the MU Extension Center at 120 East Lincoln. The fair book is online at <http://extension.missouri.edu/henry>.

Enter your food preservation items Monday, July 12 between 10:00am and 1:00 pm. at the Benson Center, adjacent to the Henry County Fairgrounds. Exhibits are released on Thursday, July 15 between 4:00-6:00pm.

Police Academy Employs Entire Graduating Class



While fulfilling a vital need for well-prepared police officers who are now serving several area communities, the Central Missouri Police Academy (CMPA) at the University of Central Missouri celebrated a milestone when it graduated its 161st cadet class on June 19. All 25 members of the graduating class had found employment, making this the first time that 100 percent of the cadets were hired at the time of graduation. Additionally, all of the cadets passed their Missouri Peace Officer Standards and Training (POST) test to become Class A Licensed Officers.

The pinning ceremony that took place at UCM involved representatives from more than 18 law enforcement agencies from across the state, with some agencies hiring multiple cadets. From this graduating class, the Warrensburg, Chillicothe, Independence, and Grain Valley police depart-

ments all hired multiple new officers for their cities and the Lafayette County Sheriff's Department Office hired two new deputies. Other communities or Sheriff's Departments to hire graduates of the CMPA were Carroll County Sheriff, St. Clair County Sheriff, Henry County Sheriff, Johnson County Sheriff, Grandview Police Department, Warsaw Police Department, St. Joseph Police Department, Pettis County Sheriff, Whiteman Air Force Base Security Forces, Saline County Sheriff, Lee's Summit Police Department and Clinton Police Department.

The Central Missouri Police Academy, formerly known as the National Police Institute, was formed in 1971. Early on, cadets only had to participate in 120 hours of training before going to work in their communities. The CMPA program now offers more than 840 hours of training and exceeds the requirements from the POST requirements of 600 hours. The curriculum engages practical application activities including responding to domestic violence calls, traffic stops, firearms training, defensive tactics, and crash investigation. Cadets also engage in training related to ethics in policing, constitutional and statutory law, social and

emotional intelligence, dealing with mental and cognitive impairment, de-escalation, and communication techniques. The CMPA was also the first academy to partner with the Missouri State Highway Patrol to present two-day training on human trafficking. In 2020 and 2021, the CMPA was awarded funding through the CARES Act to convert its gymnasium into a technology learning classroom, providing distance learning availability and a forum for guest presenters. All of these activities create a professional atmosphere for cadets even before they begin interviewing for jobs in the field.

The CMPA offers three cadet classes annually – two full-time classes on UCM's Warrensburg campus and one part-time class at State Fair Community College. All three classes participate with resume' writing activities, mock oral boards, and report writing activities to help cadets prepare for interviews. A "recruitment day" is held for each class with invited agencies from across the states of Missouri and Kansas to allow cadets to practice their interviewing skills in a speed-recruitment environment where each agency gets 10 minutes of interview time with every cadet. It is an intensive day of interviewing for agencies and the cadets but has worked in improving presentation skills and allowed cadets to be visible to several agencies for potential employment opportunities. CMPA Director Tim Lowry, Assistant Director Cindy Schroer, and Office Professional Angela Ford work closely with the cadets to ensure they have complete information about the agencies they are interested in working for and help prepare them for their upcoming interviews.

The next full-time class, Class #162, begins in July and will graduate in December 2021. Class 2 of the part-time academy has been meeting since January 2021 and will graduate in September. The next part-time class will begin in January 2022.

The CMPA is part of the Missouri Safety Center, which is located within the UCM Harmon College of Business and Professional Studies. To learn more, contact Joanne Kurt-Hilditch, Ph.D., senior director, Missouri Safety Center, Central Missouri Police Academy, at 800-801-3588 or 660-543-4213. Also, visit the CMPA website to learn more at mosafetycenter.com/cmpa/.

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This week's report is going to be a little shorter than usual. Not because we haven't been busy this week, but most of that work has been concerning this year's Olde Glory Days celebration. There's so much to look forward to: The veteran's dinner, fireworks, the Henry Co. Museum, the toddler tent, a coloring contest by Clinton Main Street, office olympics, the carnival, prize drawings, nightly musical entertainment, kayak races, the pet show, the FireQuacker 500, entertainment throughout the day, the readers theater, TLC Dulcimers, pedal pull, the golf ball drop, the fireman's pancake breakfast, 5K run/walk, the car show, grand parade, beer garden, Gospelfest and more! The Olde Glory Days committee continues to move forward with this year's celebration. The Fishin' Magicians show is coming back... look for a Ventriloquist/Comedian and the Kansas City Aerial Show...main stage entertainment includes Funk Syndicate, the Cate Brothers, Dawson Hollow and the Eskimo Brothers. OLDE GLORY DAYS 2021: Let's give this a shot! We keep on posting items on the official Olde Glory Days Facebook page.

Rodeo Gold is over for 2021. A huge thanks to everyone that came out Friday and/or Sat. nights to the Henry Co. Fairgrounds in Clinton. This is something we are hoping will be a yearly event that will get bigger each with more events, contestants, queen candidates and more.

Met a lot of great people at Crappie Masters at Bucksaw Resort and Marina this past weekend. They fished Friday and Saturday and from the size and weight of the fish caught, it looked like the fishing was good. This was another fishing tournament that is very professionally run and the Clinton Tourism Assoc. was proud to be a part of it.

The Greater Clinton-Area Chamber of Commerce and Tourism Association are working with the Tony Komer Foundation and local disc golf enthusiasts to 'Design the Back Nine'. From the several meetings held at the Clinton Chamber and in Artesian Park, a temporary design has been mapped out. You may see cones and/or flags in different areas of Artesian Park as the final touches are put upon the design. The final plan will be submitted to the Clinton Park Board and the City Council for approval ASAP.

After I put this report on Facebook pages and send it to the media today (6/25), we are scheduled to be at the Elks Lodge for an anniversary at 10am and then the grand opening of the Liquor Studio at 11am. A meeting with Jim Martin later in the afternoon as he will help us plan where everything will be set up on the Square during Olde Glory Days. Jim has taken care of this for a number of years and he is very good at it. We will learn from his years of knowledge...or learn to stay out of his way!!

A reminder that the Ag Committee Golf Tournament is July 24th and the annual banquet is Aug. 23rd.

It's never too late in the year to sign up to belong to the Clinton Chamber of Commerce. Find out more about belonging to the Chamber by calling 660-885-8166 or email david@clintonmo.com. Anyone can be a member!

People buy Chamber gift certificates to give to friends, family, co-workers, employee of the month, as a thank you and so many other reasons. Call 660-885-8166 and order your gift certificates. They will be ready when you get here!

We get about three or four inquires each week, sometimes more, from the public wanting to know about places to rent in Clinton. We do have a list of landlords we give to them or email, but now each Monday on our Facebook page, we will be updating that list to make sure it is accurate and includes more information for folks looking for a place to rent. If you have houses or apartments to rent, make sure the Chamber knows about it so you will be on the list.

Don't forget, if you're a business owner and belong to the Chamber, be sure to update those Facebook pages so we can share your information on the Chamber's Facebook page. If you would like to get involved in moving Clinton forward, just reach out and we'll find the perfect place for you! Be sure like us on Facebook: Greater Clinton Area Chamber of Commerce, and watch for the new website coming soon.

GALLERY cont.

has been a pleasure to meet local artists and to provide an opportunity for the display of their works. Our vision for the gallery is to bring art to the community and the community to the arts. Setting up the Wednesday Art Day is one more way to implement this vision.

MO Lottery Hits Record

The Missouri State Lottery Commission held its quarterly meeting in Jefferson City, where the five-member board praised the Lottery for achieving its highest performing year on record. In FY21, Lottery sales topped \$1.8 billion. In turn, those sales translated into \$377 million in proceeds for education – making up approximately 3-4% of the state's funding for public education.

A full \$345 million in Lottery proceeds have already been transferred to the education fund this fiscal year, and another \$32.7 million from FY21 sales will be transferred in early July.

"I marvel at what you've done and the experience you have. I marvel at the integrity of the organization financially," Lance Mayfield, Commission chairman, stated. "When you stack all that up, it's just so impressive."

"We're one of the strongest business partners the State of Missouri could have," noted May Scheve Reardon, executive director of the Missouri Lottery, who has seen annual Lottery proceeds to education increase by approximately \$90 million over the last 12 years.

Reardon also noted that more than \$1.2 billion was paid out to Lottery winners as prizes in FY21, and Missouri businesses earned \$103.1 million selling Lottery products.

In addition, the Commission received updates about upcoming Lottery games and promotions, as well as strategic plan goals to optimize sales across retailers.

The Missouri State Lottery Commission will next meet in September.



Stock Market Insights By Dr. Richard L. Baker, AIF

Be like China? Nobody ever says that, but maybe our country should consider it. At least in one area.

Our economy is still trying to adjust from so much extra cash in the market. The pandemic stimulus money gave most Americans more cash to spend than they were used to which caused bidding wars for houses, boats, and several other big-ticket items. Those extra stimulus dollars together with the Federal Reserve's continued monetary stimulus is causing sky-high inflation.

Our government's strategy to fix the pandemic economy was to throw money at it which is having a side effect of rising prices (inflation). China's government, which is generally terrible and untrustworthy, is taking a different approach to tackling their pandemic economy and the inflation that followed and it's working better than ours.

China knows that if commodity prices (raw materials like copper or agricultural products like corn) stay high, it will raise consumer prices which would slow down their economy. When prices get too high, people, regardless of the country, stop buying.

In the last month, China's officials have focused their speeches and activities on reducing commodity prices. The Chinese officials temporarily adjusted the rules for how the commodity markets were being managed. They forbid different steelmakers from working together to manipulate a price hike and adjusted their tax laws (tariffs) to make exporting less profitable so their country would have enough steel for their manufactures. They even limited imports to make it cheaper for companies to buy materials in-country. These policies seem to be working.

According to Bloomberg data as of 6/8/2021.

- Chinese lumber prices were 90% higher in May than in January, but after policy adjustments, lumber is only 40% higher than its January prices. Still high but better.

- Chinese corn prices were 60% higher in May than in January, but after policy adjustments, corn is only 40% higher than its January prices.

- Chinese steel prices were 40% higher in May than in January, but after policy adjustments, steel is only 15% higher than its January prices.

The Chinese policy changes isn't the only reason for their decrease in inflation, but it is a major reason. At the same time American prices continue to climb.

I generally have nothing good to say about China's communist dictatorship government which I personally believe harms many innocent Chinese citizens. But I think for the first time, they have a better approach to keeping inflation from getting out of control.

Should America be more like China? No, not at all. But maybe the answer to our economic problems isn't always to throw more money at it. Maybe we should fix the problem instead of putting more band-aids on it. China's officials aren't any smarter than our government officials. Inflation hurts Americans. Let's start thinking outside the box.

Have a blessed week!

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Drivers, Boaters Encouraged To Make Smart Decisions

Colonel Eric T. Olson, superintendent of the Missouri State Highway Patrol, wants to remind Missourians that thunderstorms are expected over the next several days which may lead to flooding in certain areas. Flooding, especially flash flooding, is dangerous and can be fatal. Drivers and boaters are encouraged to make smart decisions.

DRIVERS

Drivers are urged to avoid attempting to cross a flooded low water crossing simply because they were able to do so in the past. Don't be tempted to drive into floodwater because it appears shallow. Looks are deceiving and the roadway may not be intact. Floodwater often washes out roads or compromises their structural integrity.

Did you know less than a foot of moving water is enough to push a vehicle? Cars will float when the force of the water is greater than the force of friction. Flash flooding brings sand and mud, which reduces the friction force of gravity holding the vehicle in place. Think about everything you could lose before trying to save a few minutes by not turning around.

Barricades closing a roadway are there to protect you. Drivers must respect barriers or barricades put in place by MoDOT — it is extremely dangerous and a violation of state law to drive around them. For information regarding road closures consult the Missouri Department of Transportation's "MoDOT traveler" app or visit MoDOT's road condition map at the Missouri State Highway Patrol's website www.statepatrol.dps.mo.gov. (Select the "Road Conditions" box.) Road conditions can change often with flash floods or heavy rains. The map is updated regularly, but it is not possible to predict future road closings or water levels of specific rivers, lakes, or streams. Drivers are encouraged to check for updates often when planning their route and just prior to traveling.

BOATERS

Flooding also affects safety on Missouri's waterways. The Patrol asks boaters across the state to take extra precautions when boating in flooded areas. Large amounts of rainfall cause rivers and lakes to become swollen. Many times, the right decision is to stay off the water. In areas where lakes or rivers spill over the banks, erosion and damage can occur to flooded structures, docks, or water laden levees by boat wakes. Boaters should avoid operating in these areas. If operation in these areas is necessary, boaters should operate at idle speed to avoid causing a wake.

Flooded rivers and streams with moving currents present some of the most dangerous situations a boater can encounter. Fast moving water can easily capsize or flip a boat—or personal watercraft—especially when combined with fixed objects such as trees and buildings. Boaters should avoid any operations in these swift flowing waters.

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We live in an area where historically, prairies, savannas, and woodlands dominated the landscape. Without fire, many sites that would not support trees now have trees which may be stunted, too thick, or susceptible to disease and insect damage. On the other hand, many areas that were once tall-grass prairie are now cool-season pasture. Both examples are less desirable habitat for our local wildlife.

Your local Natural Resources Conservation Service office can offer advice and programs to help you reach your goals. One opportunity is the Environmental Quality Incentives Program. EQIP applications are accepted on a continuous basis, however,

NRCS establishes application; or submission deadline dates for evaluation, ranking and approval of eligible applications. New applications will be accepted and evaluated for future rounds of funding. Signing an application is the first step to become eligible for assistance to identify and treat the resource concerns that are present in your woodland.

For more information on the potential of your woodlands and savannas, call Aimee Coy at the Missouri Department of Conservation, 660-885-6981.

Clinton Main Street Maintains Associate Status

Clinton Main Street is once again a state accredited Main Street community following a program assessment by Missouri Main Street Connection (MMSC). Accreditation is the highest level a downtown revitalization program can achieve.

To receive State Associate status a community must meet or exceed the Main Street criteria covering various aspects of revitalization work that help create a sustainable, community-driven Main Street program. The Main Street criteria is utilized across the country to recognize high achieving Main Street programs. Gayla Roten, State Director of Missouri Main Street Con-

nection, Inc. stated, "These criteria were established by Main Street America and is a proven comprehensive approach to community economic revitalization and we are proud of this accomplishment by Clinton Main Street. These criteria ensure a broad-based community support for the program, a strong historic preservation ethic, active Board of Directors and committees, as well as other technical aspects that help the program function at a high level."

The Associate assessments include a self-evaluation and submission of materials from the program that support their work for each criteria. Each community was then assessed by MMSC to determine tier placement. Though it is a critical moment for a Missouri Main Street community to become Associate level, it is equally important for the community to maintain the status once it has been earned.

Gayla Roten, MMSC State Director stated, "The Clinton Main Street Board Members along with the staff and volunteers attended various Main Street trainings provided in 2020 that has contributed to success of their Main Street program."

Throughout 2020, Clinton Main Street saw public and private investment of over \$2 million in the historic district from 42 projects. The district saw a net gain of 10 new businesses and 6 new jobs. Additionally, volunteers for Clinton Main Street donated 1,137 hours of their time.

The Missouri Main Street Program's purpose is to create vibrant communities across the state. This effort is based on numerous recent studies showing that empowering individuals to develop their downtown motivates high achievement, creates a place people will want to live, work and invest, and makes our State economically stronger. The goal of the National Main Street Center and Missouri Main Street Connection is to encourage preservation-based economic development through the Main Street Approach™.

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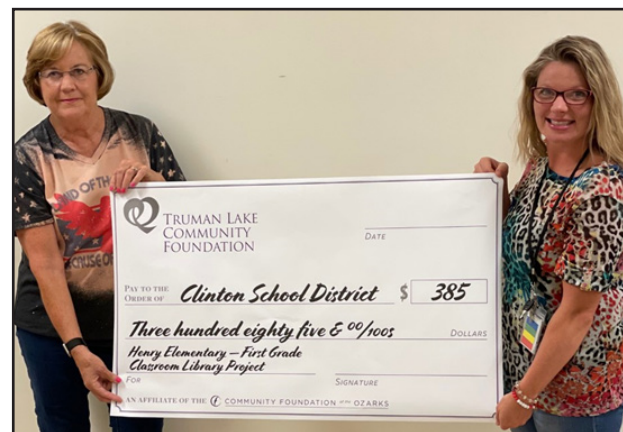
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CLINTON SCHOOL DISTRICT \$4,900 grant to support a literacy program (Pictured with Jim Cook representing the Truman Lake Community Foundation)



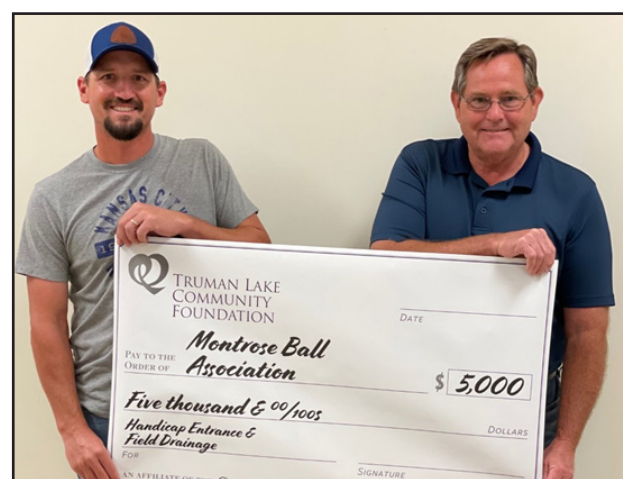
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IN THE 27TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COURT OF HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI PROBATE DIVISION

In The Estate Of LESLIE W CHILDERS, Deceased.
Case No.: 21HE-PR00049
NOTICE OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION GRANTED (Independent Administration)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate Of LESLIE W CHILDERS, Decedent:

On JUNE 9, 2021, the following individual was appointed the personal representative of the estate of LESLIE W CHILDERS, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri. The personal representative's business address is: MATTHEW CHILDERS, 3309 SOUTH HIGHWAY 123, HUMANSVILLE, MO 65674.

The personal representative may administer the estate independently without adjudication, order, or direction of the Probate Division of the Circuit Court, unless a petition for supervised administration is made to the granted by the court.

The personal representative's attorney's name, business address and phone number is: MICHAEL X EDGETT, 608 EAST OHIO STREET, CLINTON, MO 64735, 660-885-2234.

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice or if a copy of this notice was mailed to, or served upon, such creditor by the personal representative, then within two months from the date it was mailed or served, whichever is later, or be forever barred to the fullest extent permissible by law. Such six-month period and such two-month period do not extend the limitation period that would bar claims one year after the decedent's death, as provided in Section 473.444, RSMo, or any other applicable limitation periods. Nothing in Section 473.033, RSMo, shall be construed to bar any action against a decedent's liability insurance carrier through a defendant ad litem pursuant to Section 573.021, RSMo.

Date of decedent's death: JUNE 22, 2020

Date of first publication: JUNE 24, 2021

Glenda Hann
Probate Clerk

Receipt of this notice by mail should not be construed by the recipient to indicate that the recipient necessarily has a beneficial interest in the estate. The nature and extent of any person's interest, if any,

can be determined from the files and records of this estate in the Probate Division of the above referenced Circuit Court.
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TRUSTEE'S SALE

IN RE: Ed Absher Theresa Absher, husband and wife Trustee's Sale:

For default in payment of debt and performance of obligation secured by Deed of Trust executed by Ed Absher Theresa Absher, husband and wife dated October 6, 2010 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Henry County, Missouri in Book 691, Page 920 the undersigned Successor Trustee, at the request of the legal holder of said Note will on Friday, July 2, 2021 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., (at the specific time of 9:00 AM), at the North Front Door of the Court House, City of Clinton, County of Henry, State of Missouri, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate, described in said Deed of Trust, and situated in Henry County, State of Missouri, to wit:

THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE SITUATED IN THE COUNTY OF HENRY, IN THE STATE OF MISSOURI TO WIT: ALL OF THE EAST ONE HALF (EAST 1/2) OF LOT SIXTEEN (16) IN HUGHES FIRST ADDITION TO THE TOWN OF CALHOUN, HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI, ACCORDING TO THE RECORDED PLAT THEREOF.

to satisfy said debt and cost.

MILLSAP & SINGER, P.C.,
Successor Trustee
612 Spirit Drive
St. Louis, MO 63005
(636) 537-0110
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Full-time teaching position open for the 21/22 school year, plus we need a part time janitor. Contact Angie Steward or Theresa Munsterman @ 660-693-4502 for more information.

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Shawnee R-III School District is currently accepting applications for a part time special education teacher for the 2021-22 school year. Applicants must have current certification in correct area to be considered for the position. If interested please contact Nancy Akert at akert@shawnee.k12.mo.us or call the District office at 660-885-3620 to request an application. The Shawnee School District is an equal opportunity employer. j24da2tc

The Ballard R-2 School District is now accepting applications for a full-time custodial/maintenance position. Experience is helpful, but we will train an energetic and quality-minded individual who is willing to learn and wants to work. Must be able to pass a background check. Applications are available in the employment section at www.ballardr2.net or you may contact Ballard School District at 816-297-2656 ext. 103 or apply in person. Completed forms may be emailed to Melinda.Light@m1ght@ballard.k12.mo.us, US mailed or hand delivered to the school. j10da2tc

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LEGAL NOTICES

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR SPECTRUM CHANNEL LINEUP
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On or after August 2nd, 2021, KMIZ - MeTV on Basic channel 186 will no longer be available. Alternate MeTV programming available on Basic channel 188.
For a complete channel lineup, visit Spectrum.com/channels. To view this notice online, visit Spectrum.net/programmingnotices. jy1da1tc

The Clinton Planning Commission will conduct a Public Hearing on Monday, July 12, 2021 at 6:00 p.m. at City Hall 105 E. Ohio Street. The Planning Commission will review an application by Patricia Harman. The application requests a Rezone of property commonly known as 704 E. Lincoln Street. The Planning Commission will review a petition by Patricia Harman to rezone this property from R-1 to R-1/SH. If you require and accommodation (i.e. qualified interpreter, large print, hearing assistance) please notify this office at (660) 885-6121 no later than forty-eight hours prior to the scheduled commencement of the meeting. jy1da1tc

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
The Henry County Prosecutor's Office is requesting bids for a new computer server.
Bid specs are available in the Office of Richard Shields, Henry County Prosecutor's Office, 100 West Franklin Street, Henry County Courthouse, Clinton, Missouri 64735 or by calling 660-885-7221. Bids are due by 10:00 am on Monday, July 12, and will be opened at 10am on Wednesday, June 23, 2021. Mail to: The Office of Richard Shields, Henry County Prosecutor's Office, 100 W Franklin St., Clinton MO 64735. j24.jy1da2tc

NOTICE OF TRUSTEES SALE
For default under the terms of the Deed of Trust executed by Roger C. Prewett and Clerissa L. Prewett, husband and wife, dated December 26, 2001, recorded on December 28, 2001 in Book 639, Page 2293, Office of the Recorder of Deeds, Henry County, Missouri, the undersigned Successor Trustee will on Tuesday, July 27, 2021, at 10:00 AM at the North Front Door of the Henry County Courthouse, 100 West Franklin, in Clinton, Missouri, sell at public venue to the highest bidder for cash:
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to satisfy said debt and costs.
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Gregory D. Todd, Vice President
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(Prewett, 85015-92, Publication Start: 06/30/2021)

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PUBLIC NOTICE
Harmoni Towers, LLC proposes to build a 332-foot Self Support Communications Tower. Anticipated lighting application is medium intensity dual red/white strobes. The Site location is 408 North Depot Street, Calhoun, Henry County, MO 65323, Lat: 38-28-18.12, Long: -93-37-45.35. The Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Antenna Structure Registration (ASR, Form 854) filing number is A1195757
ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS - Interested persons may review the application (www.fcc.gov/asr/applications) by entering the filing number. Environmental concerns may be raised by filing a Request for Environmental Review (www.fcc.gov/asr/environmentalrequest) and online filings are strongly encouraged. The mailing address to file a paper copy is: FCC Requests for Environmental Review, Attn: Ramon Williams, 445 12th Street SW, Washington, DC 20554. **HISTORIC PROPERTIES EFFECTS** - Public comments regarding potential effects on historic properties may be submitted within 30 days from the date of this publication to: Trileaf Corp, Abigail Ritter, a.ritter@trileaf.com, 1515 Des Peres Road, Suite 200, St. Louis, MO 63131, 314-997-6111. jy1da1tc

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI
IN RE: The Change of Name of Sydney Lynn Watson
Case No.: 21HE-AC00159
NOTICE OF CHANGE OF NAME
You are hereby notified that the name of Sydney Lynn Watson has been changed to Sydney Lynn Zaugg by Judgment of the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri which was entered on the 20th day of May, 2021. j17,24jy1da3tp

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI JUVENILE DIVISION
IN RE THE ADOPTION OF: CALLIE RAE HICKMAN
a Minor
and
SHELBY R. HICKMAN and ANNE M. HICKMAN,
Petitioners,
vs.
JOHN DOE,
Respondent.
Case No.: 21HE-JU00051

NOTICE UPON ORDER FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION
STATE OF MISSOURI TO RESPONDENT JOHN DOE:
You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court for the County of Henry, Missouri, the object and general nature of which is: Petition for Step-Parent Adoption.
The names of all the parties to said action are stated above in the caption hereof and the name and address of the attorney for Petitioners is Gary V. Cover, Cover & Hilton Law, L.L.C., 137 West Franklin, Clinton, Missouri 64735.
You are further notified that, unless you file an answer or other pleading or shall otherwise appear and defend against the aforesaid petition within forty-five (45) days after the 17th day of June, 2021, judgment by default will be rendered against you.
WITNESS my hand and seal of the Circuit Court this 10th day of June, 2021.
Patricia L. Doll (GLH) Deputy/Clerk
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI CIRCUIT DIVISION
HECTOR G. SALCIDO Plaintiff,
Vs.
BARBARA SKIVERS, Her Heirs, Successors, & Assigns, Known or Unknown, Defendant.
Case No.: 21HE-CC00036

ORDER OF PUBLICATION
The State of Missouri to: Barbara Skivers, her Heirs, Successors & Assigns, Known or Unknown

You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced in the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri, Circuit Division, by motion, the object and general nature of which is a Petition for Quiet Title regarding real estate commonly known as 305 North Washington, Clinton, Henry County, Missouri.
The names to all parties to said suit are stated above in the caption hereof and the name and address of the attorney for the Plaintiff is: J. Eric Mitchell, P.O. Box 309, Clinton, Missouri 64735.
You are further notified that, unless you file an answer or other pleading or shall otherwise appear and defend against the aforesaid petition within 45 days after the 17th day of JUNE, 2021, a Judgment may be rendered in favor of the Plaintiff.
It is ordered that a copy hereof be published according to the law in The Clinton Daily Democrat, 212 South Washington, Clinton, MO 64735, a newspaper of general circulation published in Clinton, Henry County, Missouri.
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